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Preface

This work presents a design of a local computer network for the Digital Engineering Laboratory which I hope will provide a sound basis for the follow-on implementation efforts and later network expansion. The design is based upon techniques developed by Tom DeMarco, Edward Yourdon, and Larry Constantine and I gratefully acknowledge the part their techniques played in making my task simpler.

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Abstract

A local computer for the Air Force Institute of
Technology Digital Engineering Laboratory was designed and
the network command language interpreter modules were
implemented. The requirements for this network were
specified by interviewing nine faculty members associated
with the Digital Engineering Laboratory and then translating
their functional requirements into a detailed set of
hardware and software system requirements. Structured
Analysis was used to produce a structured specification for
the applications, host-to-host, network, and link protocol
requirements. Yourdon and Constantine's Transform Analysis
and Transaction Analysis techniques were then used to
develop a set of module structure charts for the software
design. The network uses a loop topology for the nodes with
a star of up to four hosts connected to each node. The
nodes are implemented using a Universal Network Interface
Device (UNID) developed at the Air Force Institute of
Technology. Initially, the network will include an Intel
Series II Microcomputer Development Station, a Digital
Equipment Corporation VAX-11/780, and a Data General Nova.
These computers will be connected to the nodes using twisted
pair and the two UNIDs in the initial configuration will be
interconnected with a duplex fiber optic link supporting
transmission rates up to 56 Kbs. The X.25 protocol was
selected to implement a host-to-host transfer mechanism in
conjunction with a basic routing algorithm using a lookup

table stored in each UNID. The network command language interpreter allows file transfer commands, session control commands, and user help requests to be parsed and the appropriate parameters passed to lower-level modules.

I. Introduction

The purpose of this investigation was to design a local
computer network for the Air Force Institute of Technology
School of Engineering Digital Engineering Laboratory. This
network, named the Digital Engineering Laboratory Network
(DELNET), was first proposed in 1978 when the number of host
computers in the Digital Engineering Laboratory had grown to
six and there were insufficient peripheral devices to allow
the computers to be used to their full capacity. Local
networks at this time were becoming increasingly commonplace
in universities and corporations. This was due to their
desire to increase their information processing power
without adding additional computers. Also, universities
wishing to perform research in the area of local computer
networking were developing their own networks so that they
could have the flexibility to change network characteristics
and evaluate different network topologies, protocols, and
transmission mediums. Interest in both of these potential
activities provided the impetus for the development of a
local computer network at the Air Force Institute of
Technology.

Historical Perspective

It is only in the last decade that computer networks
have become commonplace. The development of the Defense
Advanced Research Projects Agency Network (ARPANET) probably
did more to stimulate the development of computer networks

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than any other factor. This packet-switching network has been highly successful and today continues to be the primary computer network in the United States and ties together the most powerful research computers in the country (Ref. 12: 5-23).

It was not until the advent of the microprocessor, however, that local networks tailored to a particular organization and interconnecting minicomputers became practical. The microprocessor made local networks more practical because it allowed economic network nodes to be developed. These were cost-effective and yet offloaded much of the network protocol processing overhead from the computer hosts on the network. Also, the microprocessor decreased the cost of computers and increased the number in use. This made it practical for organizations to implement a local network of microcomputers in lieu of time-sharing off a mainframe computer.

Another significant development has been the emergence of various link and network protocols. These protocols have started to be standardized, but because protocol design is still in its infancy, there is no recognized "best" protocol for a given application (Ref. 20: 156). IBM has played a leading role in protocol development first by introducing the binary synchronous (BSC) protocol and later by introducing the Systems Network Architecture (SNA) which includes the synchronous data link control (SDLC) protocol. SDLC was one of the first bit-oriented protocols; a set of

protocols which has emerged as the most efficient and flexible for managing the link between two computers. The X.25 protocol, which defines the interface of a computer to a packet-switching network, has just recently become a standard and could be the initial protocol for interfacing computers in the next decade (Ref. 3: 11).

A great deal of research has been conducted to design efficient routing algorithms which direct the flow of the packets through the switching nodes in a network. Although a number of efficient algorithms have been developed, this area of research is also still in its early stages (Ref. 16: 42-97).

Until very recently, most local computer networks available commercially were developed by a computer firm to interface that manufacturer's systems. The only way of interfacing other computers to that network was to develop an emulator. This emulator would make that computer appear at the interface as one of the manufacturer's computers to the network. IBM's SNA and the Digital Equipment Corporation Network (DECNET) are both examples of this type of network (Refs. 3: 11; 7). In the last two years, two new local networks have become commercially available that can interface a heterogeneous set of computers. Xerox has introduced ETHERNET and Ungermann-Bass has developed NET/ONE (Refs. 5,14). Because of the state of the art techniques used in these networks, they are worth studying in more detail.

NET/ONE uses a network interface unit (NIU), which may contain up to four Z-80A microprocessors and 64 Kbytes of memory, to interface up to sixteen devices to the network. These devices may include host computers or peripheral devices and are interfaced to the NIU using the RS-232 protocol. NET/ONE uses a bus architecture and interfaces the NIUs to the bus through a transceiver interface contained in each NIU. The bus is a baseband coaxial cable supporting transmission speeds of up to 4 Mbs. Because the NIU is connected to this cable through a passive tap, a failure of an NIU only affects those hosts and devices on it. The bus access mechanism uses a contention channel protocol where each NIU can transmit whenever it senses that the bus is idle. If it receives another NIU's transmission while transmitting data itself, then a collision has occurred and the packet is retransmitted a set delay after the NIU again senses that the bus is idle (Ref. 5).

ETHERNET is very similar to a NET/ONE without the NIUs. Instead each host must interface to a coaxial cable through its own transceiver interface and handle the contention channel protocol itself (Ref. 14).

Thus computer networks have evolved from a few geographically distributed networks interconnecting large mainframe computers such as ARPANET to also include high speed local networks such as NET/ONE and ETHERNET. These two local networks make the interconnection of a heterogeneous set of minicomputers and microcomputers

practical. The standard protocols and routing algorithms developed to date are the principal resources from which the design of DELNET could be derived. Existing local networks such as ETHERNET and NET/ONE also provide a basis for comparison with the DELNET design. So, it is from this perspective that the development of DELNET has taken place. The following section gives some background on the previous development efforts which preceded this particular investigation.

Background

This effort follows two other graduate research projects addressing the development of a local computer network for the Digital Engineering Laboratory. R. Cade Adams and Donald Ravenscroft conducted concurrent investigations although with different emphases (Refs. 1,16).

Adams' investigation resulted in several general theoretical concepts upon which that he felt that the design of DELNET should be based. However, the conceptual design was based upon only a cursory analysis of the actual Digital Engineering Laboratory requirements and more upon requirements of local networks in general (Ref. 1).

Ravenscroft's investigation was much more productive and resulted in the design of a routing algorithm for DELNET. Also, some recommendations were made for the choice of a link protocol (Ref. 16). However, neither of these investigations approached the problem from the users'

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viewpoint and much work remained to develop a design for DELNET that could be implemented in the Digital Engineering Laboratory.

Objective of This Investigation

The objective of this investigation was to specify the design of DELNET in sufficient detail that subsequent investigations could concentrate on actually implementing the design. The design had to be based upon the actual requirements of the Digital Engineering Laboratory and their projected uses of DELNET. This was imperative because unlike ETHERNET or NET/ONE that were designed for high throughput and automated data processing, one of the chief uses of DELNET will be as a teaching and research tool. Thus, flexibility in changing the protocols and topology of the network were important for DELNET and these requirements could not be met by NET/ONE or ETHERNET because of their dependence on the bus architecture and the contention channel protocol.

Approach

The development of computer networks has not reached a stage where there is a set development approach to be followed. However, there are standard procedures for the engineering development of any system and it is from these procedures that an approach was formulated.

First, a top-down development of the design was chosen. This approach allowed the design to first address

those levels closest to the user and thereby insure that the design was consistent with the user's requirements. Then lower levels of the design were developed to support the requirements of the next higher level. Care was taken, however, to insure that each level had sharply defined interfaces with the levels above and below it so that a level designed with one protocol could be replaced easily with another protocol when desired.

Due to the size of the development effort, an approach using structured analysis and design techniques was considered imperative. These techniques result in clear written specifications and diagrams that provide to those implementing the design the unambiguous information they need.

The first phase of the investigation consisted primarily of researching the literature and gaining a working knowledge of computer networks, protocols, hardware interface devices, and the capabilities of the computers in the Digital Engineering Laboratory. Existing local computer network architectures were studied in particular as were the newer bit-oriented protocols being used increasingly in local computer networks.

Once a sufficient background had been gained, a user interview outline was designed and faculty members associated with the Digital Engineering Laboratory were interviewed. From these interviews, a set of projected uses and functional requirements were compiled and these were

used to derive the system requirements.

The system requirements consisted of both hardware requirements for the topology, hosts, nodes, and transmission mediums, as well as software requirements. The software requirements were documented using Structured Analysis (Ref. 6). The structured specification consisted of a set of data flow diagrams and a data dictionary.

The system requirements were then used to develop a hardware design and a software design of the high-level protocols. These protocols were then partially implemented on the VAX-11/780 and user feedback on the performance was obtained. The final stage of the investigation resulted in the design of the lower-level protocols.

Overview of the Thesis

The structure of the thesis basically follows the approach that was taken in the investigation. The DELNET functional requirements are analyzed in Chapter II. Appendix A provides supporting information including the compilation of the results of the user interviews and a list of those interviewed and their specific areas of interest with respect to the Digital Engineering Laboratory.

Chapter III translates the functional requirements into hardware and software requirements. Structured Analysis is described and data flow diagrams are used throughout the chapter to support the written description of the software requirements. Supporting the hardware requirements is Appendix B which contains a floor layout of the location of

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the principal computers in the Digital Engineering Laboratory. Appendix C contains the complete structured specification in support of the software requirements.

The design phases of DELNET are described in Chapter IV. The design of the hardware is specified including the topology to be employed initially, the first hosts to be included in the network, the node to be used in the network, and the transmission mediums to be used. The software design is described in three stages. First, the design techniques that were used are summarized and module structure charts from the DELNET design are used to illustrate their application. Then, the allocation of the software modules to the host and node processors is specified. The actual software design consists of a set of module structure charts which are in Appendix D.

Chapter V describes the implementation and testing of the network command language interpreter. In this chapter, the factors affecting implementation are described as well as the testing techniques employed. The source code for the implemented modules is in Appendix E while Appendix F contains the testing documentaion. Appendix G contains the user manual for DELNET.

Finally, Chapter VI summarizes this investigation and gives recommendations for follow-on research efforts.

II. DELNET Functional Requirements

Introduction

This chapter specifies the functional requirements of
DELNET. First, the background of the requirements analysis
is discussed. In the next section, the content of the user
survey that was used to help determine the DELNET
requirements is described. Also included in this section is
a description of how the survey was conducted. The next
section summarizes the results of the survey by describing
the projected uses of DELNET as well as the users'
perception of several functional requirements. Finally,
other functional requirements as well as constraints not
addressed by the user survey are discussed.

Background

Possibly the most crucial step in developing a computer
network is the specification of the network requirements.
Yet, this phase of development was treated inadequately by
both individuals whose work this research project was
continuing (Refs. 1,16). While Adam's thesis discusses
user requirements, it only lists characteristics generally
desired of local networks and does not justify these
characteristics as being applicable to DELNET. Also, there
is no reason to believe that this list of requirements is
complete (Ref. 1). In Ravenscroft's thesis, some attention
is given to the pedagogical requirement for DELNET as well

as many of those requirements addressed by Adams, but Ravenscroft's requirements analysis is also incomplete (Ref. 16: 43). Thus, many of the design decisions that follow in both theses are only based upon what is generally desired in networks.

While it is possible to specify many requirements that are generally desired in a network, using this approach alone will result in an incomplete and inaccurate requirements specification for several reasons. First, local networks differ greatly in their requirements because they usually serve only one organization (Ref. 21: 131). Thus, the requirements for local networks are usually as varied as the organizations themselves. Second, not all requirements for a network may have the same importance and the resources available (such as time or money) may not be adequate to satisfy all requirements. Since, the relative importance of the requirements also varies widely with each local network, it is almost impossible to obtain a weighting of requirements by strictly considering some "ideal network" for all cases. Finally, there may be unique requirements for the network and these will be overlooked if only the requirements for the "ideal network" are considered. These pitfalls were demonstrated when the two previous research efforts, which were concurrent efforts, resulted in conflicting designs. Ravenscroft did not consider the topology recommended by Adams because of its inflexibility, while Adams rejected the topology recommended by Ravenscroft

because of its complexity.

User Survey

A systematic approach was needed to specify the requirements for DELNET that would tailor it to the requirements of the Digital Engineering Laboratory. Thus, a three-part user survey was designed.

In the first section, the users were asked what applications could be served by DELNET from their utilization perspectives. To aid the users being interviewed, nine common local network applications were listed which the user could evaluate on a five-point scale from "of no use" to "very beneficial." These applications included peripheral sharing among the computers in the network, file accessing and transfers across the network, sharing software tools on the network, accessing the Advanced Research Projects Agency Network (ARPANET), accessing the CYBER 750 host installation computer, accessing the Air Force Institute of Technology Network (AFITNET) once it is implemented, doing distributed processing, managing distributed databases, and providing fault tolerance. Finally, the section asked the users to identify the applications that they felt should be implemented first.

The second section asked the user to estimate the requirements from their perspectives for nine basic network parameters. These were divided into five user-oriented parameters and four design-oriented parameters. The

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user-oriented parameters were throughput, response time, the user interface, security, and availability of the network. Each of the subsections addressing a parameter had a number of questions to aid the user in evaluating the requirement for that parameter. Each user was asked to identify any other user-oriented parameters that might influence DELNET's design. The design-oriented parameters were flexibility, performance monitoring, special pedagogical requirements, and the availability of a distributed processing language. As with the user-oriented parameters, each subsection had a number of questions to help the user evaluate the parameter. The user was also asked to identify other design-oriented parameters. Finally, the second section concluded by having the user rate each of the nine parameters on a five-point scale from "not applicable" to "essential." This was included to help evaluate the relative importance of the network parameters.

The third section asked the users to make any other comments that they felt might help specify the requirements of DELNET.

The identification of the users of DELNET was also an important part of the requirements analysis. Although undergraduate and graduate students will use DELNET, their use of DELNET would be primarily at the direction of the Electrical Engineering (EE) Department and the Mathematics Department. Thus, the students had little interest or insight into the projected uses of DELNET. On the other

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hand, many faculty members had expressed an interest in DELNET and knew what capabilities would be most useful to the EE department. Because of this, seven EE faculty members and two mathematics faculty members were chosen to be interviewed. Each of those chosen represented a specific area of interest and so the results of the interviews represented a wide range of user applications.

Each user was interviewed for approximately forty-five minutes to an hour and a half using the user survey described above. Personal interviews were chosen over regular surveys to allow each user to ask for clarification of the various questions, and also in hope of getting more information from the users than they might have given in written responses to the survey. The response to the user interviews was excellent and the information from the user survey was used to formulate the general requirements specifications that follow.

Projected Uses of DELNET

The user survey results were used to determine the projected uses of DELNET. The principal uses that were considered most beneficial were in the area of resource sharing. Specifically, peripheral sharing and file access and transfer capability across DELNET were identified by all users as being of top priority. Next in potential benefits was the capability to access the CYBER 750 from DELNET. Access to AFITNET, another local computer network, being developed to process much of AFIT's ever-increasing

workload, was regarded as equally beneficial once this network is implemented. Software tool sharing was also identified as beneficial while access to the ARPANET was considered of lesser benefit. Distributed processing as well as distributed databases received widely varying evaluations. Those with a special interest in these areas rated these capabilities as very beneficial while others rated them of little use. There was a general concensus that the primary benefits of these capabilities would be pedagogical although one person felt that the importance of distributed processing would increase rapidly in the next few years. Because the network was not expected to support critical functions, no need was perceived for the network to guarantee uninterrupted service to the user through redundancy and fault-tolerance. Fail-soft capability was regarded as beneficial, however. The projected uses of DELNET are summarized in Table 1.

User-oriented Functional Requirements

The users' functional requirements were also clarified by the survey. The throughput required by the users was basically driven by the need to be able to transmit 16-32 Kbyte files between the computers on the network in less than three minutes. Usage of the computers in the Digital Engineering Laboratory should average about 3 to 4 hours per day with peaks of up to almost 24 hours a day for a few days at a time on some computers like the Data General Eclipse. The computers with the heaviest projected usage in the

Table 1

Projected Uses of DELNET

Projected Use	Very Beneficial	Beneficial	Somewhat Beneficial	Of Little Use	Of No Use
Peripheral Sharing	7	0	0	0	0
File Transfers	5	2	0	0	0
Software Tool Sharing	2	4	1	0	0
Access to CYBER 750	3	3	1	0	0
Access to AFITNET	3	4	0	0	0
Distributed Processing	2	1	2	2	0
Distributed Databases	2	0	2	3	0
Fault Tolerance	0	1	1	3	2

Digital Engineering Laboratory are the Data General Nova, the Data General Eclipse, the Digital Equipment Corporation VAX-11/780, the Digital Equipment Corporation LSI-11s, the Intel Series II MDS, the Digital Equipment Corporation PDP-11s, and the Microprogrammable Minicomputer Emulator (MIME) that was built in the Digital Engineering Laboratory.

The response time requirement was, of course, closely tied to the throughput requirement. The requirement for response times was addressed for three modes: interactive,

file transfers, and echoing user inputs. In the interactive mode, two to three seconds for "simple" commands was considered to be satisfactory. For file transfers, ten to fifteen seconds was given by one user, although this is not feasible on many of the Digital Engineering Laboratory computers even when the user is in the local computer mode. Thus, the file transfer response time was set at three minutes for a 32 Kbyte file. This was considered an acceptable tradeoff between user requirements and the file accessing capabilities of the computers in the Digital Engineering Laboratory. The echo response time requirement was given as being a maximum of one-half second. This is to insure that the echoes of the user inputs do not interfere with their entering subsequent data at the keyboard. With the exception of the ten to fifteen second file transfer requirement, all other response time requirements seemed consistent with the results of psychological studies predicting satisfactory levels of performance for the typical user (Ref. 13: 322,323). Another requirement on the response time was that the standard deviation for the distribution of response times be less than half the mean response time to the command. Thus, consistency in the response times was also considered important.

In addressing the requirements of the user interface, the key requirement that was mentioned by almost all users was the need to make the network configuration and specific operating systems of the hosts transparent to the user. The

difficulty of achieving this was also mentioned, however, because of the difficulty in concealing operating system idiosyncrasies. Other user interface requirements included error recovery capabilities and the capability for the user to get help from the network through a "teach" command. One user also felt that the transparency should be optional so that the user can access capabilities of the machines that the network command language may not exploit.

Security was addressed from three perspectives. All users indicated that they did not forsee the possibility of running classified data on any of the computers in DEL. Thus, the concensus was that the network did not need to be designed to safeguard the processing of classified information. The second aspect of security addressed the requirement to protect files on the network from unauthorized access or alteration. Two-thirds of the users felt that this was a requirement while one-third saw no need for this capability. One user also specified that this access control should allow users to be given various levels of access rights such as "read only". Thus, file access restriction was found to be a security requirement for the network. The third aspect of security was access control to the network from outside DEL. Since gateways to the CYBER, AFITNET, and possibly the ARPANET were envisioned, the need for access control at these gateways was evident.

Defining the availability of the network was the first problem encountered in trying to assess the availability

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requirement. The availability of DELNET was defined to be the percentage of time that the network provided the capabilities required by a particular user as compared to the time that it was supposed to provide those capabilities. This definition allowed the users to individually assess their requirements for network availability. The assessments ranged from 60 percent to nearly 100 percent with 90 percent being the answer given by almost half of the users. The time periods that the network should be available were identified as either during the duty hours of the Digital Engineering Laboratory technicians or during the hours that the CYBER 750 is available. The lower percentages were given by those who stated what they felt would meet their needs, while the highest percentage was given because the user felt that this should be fairly easy to achieve. The 90 percent availability level met all stated requirements of the users who were interviewed and thus represents a reasonable target goal for the system design. The user-oriented functional requirements are summarized in Table 2.

Design-oriented Functional Requirements

The design-oriented requirements included flexibility, performance monitoring, and pedagogical requirements. The flexibility requirement was addressed by asking the users to describe how they would see the network changing over the next five years. The response given by almost all was that more hosts and devices would be added to the network. All

Table 2

User-oriented Functional Requirements

Area	Not Applicable	Marginally Applicable	Applicable	Very Applicable	Essential
Throughput	1	1	3	2	0
Response Time	0	1	2	3	1
User Interface	0	0	1	3	3
Security	2	1	1	1	2
Availability	0	1	1	3	2

the users felt that it was very important for DELNET to be
easily reconfigurable with respect to adding new hosts and
devices. Other changes mentioned included increased use of
the network by those outside the Digital Engineering
Laboratory and a transition of the network workload from
predominantly file transfers to more interactive bursty
traffic. Flexibility with respect to the topology,
protocols, and transmission medium were generally considered
requirements only from the pedagogical point of view. One
user also felt that it was important to be able to vary
between serial and parallel bit transmission.

The need for some form of performance monitoring
capability was expressed by all users. They felt that
statistics of the traffic through each node as well as
accounting data collection on user jobs were both important

to monitor. Both hardware and software monitor capabilities were stated as requirements by two of the users and another user suggested incorporating a performance monitoring node into the network. Thus, although the capability to monitor the performance of DELNET was considered important by all users, the requirements for implementing this capability varied significantly.

The pedagogical functional requirements given by the users are basically reflected in the requirements above for flexibility and performance monitoring. Another pedagogical requirement that was expressed was that DELNET should have the capability to evaluate the use of fiber optic links in computer networking.

Given the possibility of implementing a distributed processing capability, the requirements for a distributed processing language that would be available on all machines were assessed. Pascal was mentioned by all users (one specified UCSD Pascal) and Ada and FORTRAN were mentioned by almost all. BASIC was mentioned by one user and one user stressed the capabilities that Ada would have in distributed processing due to its powerful control structures.

The users were also asked to rank each of the functional requirement areas on a scale from not applicable to essential. Flexibility received the highest overall rating falling between very applicable and essential. The user interface, the availability, performance monitoring capability, and the pedagogical requirements were all rated

as very applicable. The response time requirements fell a
little lower between applicable and very applicable, while
the throughput requirement, security, and the requirement
for a distributed processing language were only considered
as applicable. The design-oriented functional requirements

Table 3

Design-oriented Functional Requirements

Area	Not Applicable	Marginally Applicable	Applicable	Very Applicable	Essential
Flexibility	0	0	0	4	3
Performance Monitoring	0	1	0	4	2
Pedagogical	0	1	0	4	2
Distributed Processing Language	0	2	2	3	0

are summarized in Table 3.

Other User Requirements

The third section of the user interview produced eight
additional requirements for the network. One requirement
was that the network have a general interface port where
student digital hardware design projects could be interfaced
to the network. Another request was that the
intercommunication between the hosts and the network be
interrupt-driven. The ability to find a file in the network
that had been sent from one host to another was also

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mentioned as a requirement. One user felt that there was a very great danger of letting the potential capabilities of DELNET determine how it would be used rather than addressing how DELNET could best fulfill the needs of the Digital Engineering Laboratory. In particular, he felt that the DELNET should not be used for general software development but rather that this should be done on the CYBER 750. It was pointed out by another user that the requirement to have all hosts available on the network is probably only applicable about one percent of the time when computer networking research is being accomplished. Another user felt that DELNET should be able to be easily initialized to contain an arbitrary subset of the hosts available in the network. The number of terminals and their locations was another requirement that a user felt needed to be addressed. Another user felt that the network should serve as a testbed for the Universal Network Interface Device (UNID) that is also being developed here at AFIT and should be ready for testing shortly (Refs. 4,18). Finally, one user stated that top-down decomposition and structured analysis should be used in the design process.

Constraints on DELNET

Another requirement of DELNET was that its cost of implementation be less than $10,000 per year until 1983 when an additional $30,000 will be available for the network.

The noise environment was also assessed. Although ±100 volt variations in the voltage levels from the building

power supply have been observed, the Digital Engineering Laboratory has its own power supply that can be used. Also, while noise contributions from all the computers and other electronic devices in the Digital Engineering Laboratory might be expected to be extensive, no problems attributable to a noisy environment have been encountered using twisted pair to link such computers as the LSI-11s.

The physical layout of the computers also had to be addressed. The computers that are candidates for the DELNET are all in the same building, on the same floor, and located in four adjacent rooms. The maximum separation of any two computers is about 125 feet. A floor plan showing the locations of all minicomputers having semi-permanent locations in the Digital Engineering Laboratory is included in this paper as Appendix B.

Finally, the maintainability requirement of the network had to be determined. In order to minimize the difficulties involved in maintaining DELNET, all software must be thoroughly documented and the hardware should be designed for easy modular replacement. This will allow a faulty module to be quickly replaced with a spare while it is being repaired so that DELNET can continue to be available.

Summary

Through the results of the user survey it was possible to specify not only a comprehensive list of functional requirements but also to estimate their relative importance. The ability to transfer files across the

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network and to share peripherals attached to other hosts on DELNET were the two most important uses and those that the users wished to see implemented first. Flexibility was considered the most important functional requirement; and the user interface, availability, performance monitoring capability, and the pedagogical requirements were also considered very important. Finally, other constraints such as development funds available, the physical location of the hosts, and the noise environment were assessed. Appendix A contains a complete compilation of the user survey results.

III. DELNET System Requirements

Introduction

This chapter translates the general functional requirements addressed by the last chapter into more detailed system specifications. The first section of this chapter addresses the system hardware requirements while the second section specifies the system software requirements. The principal hardware system requirements to be addressed are the network topology, the host computers to be included in the network, the selection of a suitable node for the network, and a choice of appropriate transmission mediums for the links on DELNET. The system software requirements are specified using DeMarco's *Structured Analysis* technique (Ref. 6). A very abbreviated description of the components of the technique is given and its use is justified. Then, Structured Analysis is used to specify the system software requirements at the user level, the applications level, the host-to-host level, the network protocol level, and the link protocol level. Finally, the physical protocol specifications are stated.

The requirements specification was actually an iterative process. While some of the specifications found in this chapter could be derived directly from the functional requirements, many actually followed from design decisions made in the following chapter. These requirements would then trigger new design decisions which might in turn

modify the requirements specification further. What follows, then, is the final results of this iterative process.

System Hardware Requirements

The functional requirements of Chapter 2 can be used to derive rather detailed specifications of the hardware that is required. This is done in the following sections by considering how the functional requirements of the system place constraints on the system hardware. These constraints are then used to derive the more detailed hardware specifications.

Topology. The primary requirement for the topology was that identified by Ravenscroft and mentioned earlier-- that the topology had to be flexible, and must lend itself to easy expansion through the addition of more hosts and nodes. However, the topology also must not have bottlenecks that will limit the throughput on the network below the required level or that will increase the response time to unacceptably high levels due to queueing delays. The response time requirement may also impact the topology by limiting the number of nodes between any two host computers since the combined queueing delays may increase the response time to an unacceptable level. Since availability was not a major concern, the topology need not be overly redundant.

Host Computers. The requirements for the host computers to be included in DELNET principally reflected their usefulness from a pedagogical viewpoint, their

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capabilities, and their peripherals. DELNET should allow computers to be added to the network easily, regardless of their sophistication. So, there was a requirement for both a simple microcomputer and a sophisticated minicomputer to be included in DELNET to demonstrate DELNET's capability to interface with both. Also, since peripheral sharing was a major projected use, those computers with the most powerful peripherals should be included in DELNET. Finally, the usefulness of the network would be enhanced, if those computers used most often in the Digital Engineering Laboratory were included in DELNET.

Nodes. The requirements for the nodes in the network also were addressed. Because DELNET is to be as transparent to the users as is practical, it should not noticeably degrade the performance of the host computers when they are included in the network. Thus, the nodes must be capable of handling lower-level network protocols. The nodes should also be easily reconfigured to accomodate various topologies and also must be capable of meeting the network throughput requirements. Furthermore, the node should have the capability of being easily reprogrammed for different protocols and should be able to collect performance monitoring statistics. Finally, if possible, a compiler should be available for the CPU that the node is based on so that the protocol software may be written in a higher order language. This would reduce the magnitude of the implementation effort and enhance the maintainability of the

software.

Transmission Medium. There are several system requirements for the transmission medium as well. First, it must support the data transmission rates necessary to meet the throughput and response time requirements. Second, it must provide reliable communications links to avoid degrading throughput and response times. Otherwise, if a high percentage of blocks of data required retransmission then both response time and throughput would suffer. The same would be true if forward error correction was used and a high degree of redundancy was required. On the other hand, there is no requirement that the transmission medium provide secure communications or provide high noise immunity. The transmission medium should be easily re-routed, however, to allow the topology to be easily reconfigured. Finally, at least one link in DELNET should make use of fiber-optic technology to satisfy the pedagogical requirement stated in the user survey.

Structured Specification of the Protocol Requirements

Introduction. While the user surveys provided an excellent tool for specifying the functional requirements for DELNET, and even some of the more hardware-related system requirements, a technique was needed to translate the DELNET functional requirements into system software requirements. Several techniques were available for this task including DeMarco's Structured Analysis (Ref. 6), SofTech's Structured Analysis and Design Technique (SADT)

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(Ref. 19), IBM's hierarchical input-process-output (HIPO)
diagrams (Ref. 15: 17,18), and various problem statement
languages (Ref. 2). Structured analysis was chosen as the
technique to be used to translate the functional
requirements into the system software requirements due to
several advantages that it offers. However, before these
advantages can be understood, it is necessary to understand
the basic components of the Structured Analysis technique.

Structured analysis is a technique using data flow
diagrams (DFD's) and a data dictionary which uses Structured
English, decision tables, and decision trees to describe the
DFD's. The DFD's have the four components shown in Figure

Figure 1   DFD Components

1. The first component is the data flow. It is a "pipeline"
of other data flows and of data elements. The data elements
are the basic data types that cannot be partitioned further
and still retain their meaning. A data element might be a
three-digit integer representing the length of a file in
bytes or a seven-letter word representing a command type.

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The data flow is represented by a curved arrow on the DFD's. The process converts input data flows to output data flows and is the second component of the DFD's. It is represented by a circle or bubble that contains the process name. The boxes represent the third component of DFD's, the sources and sinks of information. They may represent a user keyboard, a user display, or any other mechanism by which information enters or leaves the system. Finally, files are the last component and are repositories of information within the system. They are shown by straight lines. The DFD's are layered starting with a context diagram that defines the interface of the system with its environment. Then the processes in the diagram are expanded into lower-level DFD's. This partitioning process continues until the data flows entering and leaving a process consist of only one data element each. At this point, a process description is written for the process and the process is not expanded into a lower-level diagram. The process descriptions, data flow and data element descriptions, and file descriptions for all the DFD's are compiled into the data dictionary.

With the very abbreviated description of Structured Analysis given above, it is now possible to examine eight of the advantages that Structured Analysis offers. First, it was based upon the concept of partitioning. This allowed the complex network requirements to be addressed abstractly at the user level where the context diagram could represent

the interface that the user wished to make to the system. Then lower level diagrams could be used to refine the data flows and processes in the higher level diagrams to sufficient detail. Thus, this method of partitioning allowed the large and complex DELNET requirements problem to be approached in an orderly manner rather than causing the analyst to be overwhelmed by the volume of requirements to be specified. Second, through the use of a data dictionary and the concentration on data flows rather than processes, Structured Analysis allowed the interfaces to be more clearly defined--in fact, it practically forced this to occur. Third, the process definitions could be easily specified using Structured English, a tool incorporated into structured analysis. Fourth, the structured specification consisting of the data flow diagrams and data dictionary was organized to eliminate redundancy in the structured specification. This made the task of maintaining the specification and changing it much easier. Fifth, the data flow diagrams were a two-dimensional presentation of the requirements and thus presented the structure of the DELNET requirements much clearer than the linear, voluminous presentation of a traditional specification. Sixth, Structured Analysis differentiated between the logical and the physical environment, thus more clearly defining the problem. This was also very helpful since this allowed the functional software requirements to be specified without being concerned about the actual hardware that would execute

those requirements. Seventh, when a data flow diagram was wrong, it was usually glaringly wrong, and thus it was easier to spot inconsistencies and gaps in the structured specification and to correct the deficiencies. Finally, it was fairly easy to transition from the structured specification to the design phase since the data flow diagrams gave a first cut at the module structure charts (for Yourdon and Constantine's structured design technique) using Source/Transform/Sink analysis (Refs. 6,22). The major disadvantage was that it was very time consuming to generate the structured specification. However, the extra time spent in the requirements definition was probably more than recompensed by the time saved in the design phase and the benefits of having less requirements errors.

Context Diagram. The context data flow diagram shows the system boundary and interface with the user. As can be seen in Figure 2, the network operating system (NOS) must include everything between the user input from a keyboard that is connected to a computer in the network, to the response that the user receives at his display. Thus, the NOS includes all the computer operating systems in the network as well as all interface software and hardware required to implement the network functional requirements. To initialize the network, a configuration bootstrap process is also required. In addition, Table 4 shows the layers of protocol that are defined in the sets of DFDs that follow. Table 5 describes the process hierarchy for the first set of

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Figure 2   Context Diagram

Table 4

Layers of Protocol

Network Operating System
Host-to-Host Protocol   (X.25 Level 3)
Network Protocol   (Routing Algorithm)
Link Protocol   (X.25 Level 2)
Physical Protocol   (RS-232C)

DFDs, the Network Operating System.

System Diagram.   The system diagram translates the key functional requirements into the software requirements for the NOS as shown in Figure 3. First, the user command must be examined to determine whether it is a network command or a local command (1). If it is a network command, then it must be sent to the computer with the software to interpret the network command (2). The transmitted network command must then be classified as either a command to transfer a

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Table 5

Network Operating System Process Hierarchy

1. Determine Command Type

2. Send Command to Host with NOS

3. Determine Network Command Type

4. Transfer File
   4.1 Send Get-File Command to File Source Host
   4.2 Get File from Source Device
   4.3 Restructure File for Network
   4.4 Transmit File to Destination
       4.4.1 Divide File into Blocks
       4.4.2 Transmit Block
       4.4.3 Reassemble Blocks
   4.5 Restructure File for Dest Host
   4.6 Store File on Dest Device

5. Control Session
   5.1 Determine Session Control Command Type
   5.2 Log User Into Network
   5.3 Log User Out of Network

6. Help User
   6.1 Determine Help Info Requested
   6.2 Provide General Network Introduction
   6.3 Provide Procedure for Transferring Files
   6.4 Provide List of Active Hosts and Devices
   6.5 Provide Procedure for Logging Out of Network

7. Send Message to User's Host

8. Route Local Command

9. Execute Routed Local Command

10. Route Local Response

file from one device on the network to another device, a command to log into or log out of the network, or a request for help in using the network (3). First, if the request is to transfer a file, then the NOS must check the network configuration to insure that the command is valid. Then the

Figure 3 System Diagram

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NOS must attempt to transfer the file and a file transfer message must be output and also entered into the file transfer log (4). Second, if the transmitted network command is to log into or log out of the network, then a log in or log out message must be output and the command routing table must be updated. The file transfer log and the network configuration file must both be accessed by the process (5). Third, if the transmitted network command is a help request, then the appropriate help information must be output to the user. Depending upon the type of help request, this process may require access to the network configuration file (6). Finally, the response that has been output from one of the three processes must be transmitted back to the user as the network response (7).

If the user command was a local command, then the command must be routed to the computer that the user specified in his log in command to DELNET. Since this does not have to be the host to which the user terminal is physically attached, the command routing table must be accessed to determine this routing (8). At the host to which the user is local, the command must be executed and a local response must be generated (9). Finally, this local response must be routed to the user (10). In processes 3, 4, 5, 6, and 9 there is also the possibility for commands to be invalid, and thus, error messages must be generated in place of the expected response.

File Transfer Requirements. The transfer file

process was specified in more detail by the lower level DFD shown in Figure 4. At this level, the transmitted file transfer command must be parsed and the file transfer command parameters must be used to generate a get-file command that must be sent to the host that has the file to be transferred (4.1). The source host must then retrieve the file from the device that it is stored on and must restructure the file to a standard network file structure (4.2,4.3). Then the file must be transmitted to its destination using information also from the get-file command (4.4). Checkpointing must be used to transmit the file to insure that the entire file does not have to be retransmitted if an error should occur, but rather only the last portion to be transmitted. This is necessary to insure adequate throughput and response time. This checkpointing mechanism is shown in Figure 5. The file is broken into blocks which are individually transmitted (4.4.1,4.4.2). Thus, only those blocks not yet received correctly need to be transmitted when a file transmission error occurs. At the destination host, the file must be restructured for that host (4.5). Finally, the file must be stored on the destination device and the file transfer message output and entered into the file transfer log (4.6). There must be error messages generated if the file cannot be retrieved from the source device or if the destination device cannot store the file.

Session Control Requirements. The control session

Figure 4 Transfer File (4.0) DFD

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Figure 5   Transmit File (4.4) DFD

process may also be specified further and its lower level

Figure 6   Control Session (5.0) DFD

DFD is shown in Figure 6. The transmitted session control
command must be classified as either a log in command or a
log out command (5.1). If it is a log in command, then the
command must be validated by accessing the network
configuration file to insure that the host exists in
DELNET.   Then a log in message must be output and the
command routing table must be updated to show the local host

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for that user (5.2). If the transmitted session control
command is a log out command, then the command routing table
must be reset to the host to which the user is physically
attached and a log out message output to the user display
(5.3).

Help User Requirements. Finally, the help user
process may be specified further by the lower level DFD

Figure 7   Help User (6.0) DFD

shown in Figure 7. The transmitted help request must be
classified as either a general information request, a file
transfer procedure request, a list of active host and device
names request, or a session control information request
(6.1). If it is a general information request, then a menu

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selection consisting of the available commands and their formats must be output along with the formats for the more specific help requests (6.2). If the transmitted help request is a file transfer procedure request, then the format for the transfer file command must be output (6.3). If the transmitted help request is a list of active hosts and device names request, then this list must be output by accessing the network configuration file (6.4). Finally, if the transmitted help request is a session control information request, then the information on the session control commands must be output (6.5).

Host-to-Host Protocol Requirements. The previous protocol requirements were specified to implement the applications of remotely logging into a computer and transferring files. These as well as the user help protocol rely upon a host-to-host transfer mechanism which was treated as a primitive by these processes. If the DFD partitioning process had been followed as specified by DeMarco, then the partitioning of the host-to-host transfer mechanism would have been duplicated several times. However, by defining the host-to-host transfer mechanism as a primitive that is used by several processes, it was possible to start a new set of DFDs for this mechanism without having to duplicate them for each process. Table 6 shows the overall process hierarchy for this set of DFDs.

The context diagram for the host-to-host protocol is shown in Figure 8. Obviously, the most important function of

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Table 6

Host-to-Host Protocol Process Hierarchy

1. Execute Calling Host Protocol
   1.1 Divide Data Into Packets
   1.2 Place Channel in Data Transfer State
   1.3 Window Calling Host to Called Host Data Packet
   1.4 Send Packet to Calling Node
   1.5 Determine Calling Node to Calling Host Packet Type
   1.6 Determine Data Packet Category and Extract Flow Control
   1.7 Buffer Packet Sequence
   1.8 Assemble Packet Sequence
   1.9 Confirm Receipt of Interrupt Packet
   1.10 Send Data to Calling Host
2. Execute Calling Node Protocol
   2.1 Execute Calling Host Packet
      2.1.1 Determine Calling Host Packet Type
      2.1.2 Notify Called Node of Incoming Call
      2.1.3 Update Calling Node Windowing Variables
      2.1.4 Confirm Receipt of Calling Host Interrupt
      2.1.5 Confirm Calling Host Clear Packet
      2.1.6 Confirm Calling Host Reset Packet
      2.1.7 Confirm Calling Host Restart Packet
   2.2 Send Packet onto Network
   2.3 Execute Routed Called Node Packet
      2.3.1 Determine Called Node Packet Type
      2.3.2 Interrupt Calling Node to Calling Host Data Flow
      2.3.3 Notify Calling Host of Call Connection
      2.3.4 Window Called Host to Calling Host Data Packets
   2.4 Send Packet to Calling Host
   2.5 Recover from Procedure Error
3. Route Packets
4. Execute Called Node Protocol
   4.1 Execute Called Host Packet
      4.1.1 Determine Called Host Packet Type
      4.1.2 Relay Call Acceptance to Calling Node
      4.1.3 Update Called Node Windowing Variables
      4.1.4 Confirm Receipt of Called Host Interrupt
      4.1.5 Confirm Called Host Clear Request
      4.1.6 Confirm Called Host Reset Request
      4.1.7 Confirm Called Host Restart Request
   4.2 Send Packet onto Network
   4.3 Execute Routed Calling Node Packet
      4.3.1 Determine Calling Node Packet Type
      4.3.2 Interrupt Called Node to Called Host Data Flow
      4.3.3 Notify Called Host of Incoming Call
      4.3.4 Window Calling Host to Called Host Data Packets
   4.4 Send Packet to Called Host
   4.5 Recover from Procedure Error
5. Execute Called Host Protocol
   5.1 Divide Data into Packets
   5.2 Keep Channel in Data Transfer State
   5.3 Window Called Host to Calling Host Data Packet
   5.4 Send Packet to Called Node
   5.5 Determine Called Node to Called Host Packet Type
   5.6 Determine Data Packet Category and Extract Flow Control
   5.7 Buffer Packet Sequence
   5.8 Assemble Packet Sequence
   5.9 Confirm Receipt of Interrupt Packet
   5.10 Send Data to Called Host

Figure 8 Host-to-Host Context Diagram

this protocol is to transmit data from the source host to
the destination host. However, to accomplish this function
reliably, there must be acknowledgement of the transferred
data as well as error recovery procedures. Furthermore,
that protocol must be transparent to the data since the data
may be in ASCII, EBCDIC, or binary form. Since both long
files and short network commands will be transmitted over
the network; unless special precautions are taken, a long
file transfer could easily degrade the response time of a
network command to an unacceptable level. Thus, either file
transfers must be able to be interrupted to allow network
commands to be transmitted or separate mechanisms must be
used for file transmission and network command
transmission. The second option would require twice as many
resources as the first alternative and so is not an
acceptable alternative if the requirements can be met using
the first option. The first option requires that the
transmission medium be shared. Time division multiplexing
(TDM) or frequency division multiplexing (FDM) could provide
multiple paths between any two hosts as could many
topologies. However, since the throughput requirement is
much lower than the channel capacity between hosts on

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DELNET, FDM was not a cost-effective way to meet the response time requirement. Also, restricting the topology to one having multiple paths between hosts conflicted with the flexibility requirement. Thus some form of TDM was needed. Packet-switching enables the communications path between two hosts to be shared by creating logical channels on the path. Each channel is limited to using the communications path only up to the time required to transmit a maximum-length packet. This prevents the network commands from being blocked by large file transfers and thus allows the response time requirement to be met.

Thus, a packet-switching protocol was required for DELNET. Due to time constraints on the development of DELNET, this protocol should be one that is a standard and thus, already specified. The alternatives for this protocol included the ARPANET protocol, IBM's SNA, and the X.25 protocol. Because the ARPANET protocol was the first packet-switching protocol, it does not employ the protocol advances such as the newer bit-oriented protocols for control of the links. IBM's SNA was not designed for heterogeneous computer networks and thus, is not appropriate for DELNET. For these reasons and also because of its versatility and endorsement by the International Consultative Committee on Telephones and Telegraphs (CCITT), the X.25 protocol was chosen for DELNET (Ref. 9: 243-284).

Overview of the X.25 Protocol. The X.25 protocol was developed to provide a transport mechanism for data access

across a packet-switched network. It includes the three basic facilities of error control, flow control, and synchronization. There are three levels or layers within the X.25 protocol. Level 1 defines the physical protocol requirements and the link protocol is defined by level 2. The interface between hosts on the network with their entry nodes is specified by level 3 of the protocol. The software requirements for this protocol were then developed using a top-down approach by considering levels 3, 2, and 1 in that order.

X.25 Level 3 Requirements. The transmit data process shown in Figure 8 must be slightly modified for the X.25 protocol. This is because the X.25 protocol establishes virtual circuits and virtual calls between the hosts on the network and then allows a two-way exchange of data between the hosts. Thus, a more accurate context diagram of the

Figure 9   X.25 Level 3 Context Diagram

X.25 protocol is shown in Figure 9. The exchange data

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process is expressed in more detail by the X.25 Level 3 Overview DFD shown in Figure 10. To make the diagrams more readable, the terms "data terminal equipment" (DTE) and "data communications equipment" (DCE) used in the CCITT specification have been replaced by the terms "host" and "node" respectively. Processes 1, 2, 4, and 5 in Figure 10 are performed directly by the level 3 protocol while Process 3 uses a routing algorithm and the level 2 protocol to perform its function.

Execute Calling Host Protocol (1) Process. The lower-level DFD of the Execute Calling Host Protocol (1) process is shown in Figure 11. The data to be sent from the calling host must be divided into 128-byte packets (1.1). These packets must then be queued to be transmitted to the called host over the X.25 channel. If a virtual circuit exists between the calling and called hosts, then the X.25 channel that the circuit is on must be placed in the data transfer state by issuing a reset request packet and waiting for receipt of a reset confirmation packet from the calling node. If no channel has been allocated as a virtual circuit between the two hosts, then a virtual call must be made. The calling host must send a call request packet to the calling node. Then upon receipt of a call connected packet from the calling node, the virtual call has been made and the X.25 channel over which the call was made is in the data transfer state.

To clear a virtual call when all the data from the

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Figure 10 X.25 Level 3 Overview DFD

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Figure 11   Execute Calling Host Protocol (1) DFD

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called host to the calling host has been transmitted, the calling host must send a clear request to the calling node. The call must be cleared and the channel made available when the calling host receives a clear confirmation packet from the calling node.

If a local procedure error occurs, the virtual calls and virtual circuits must be reset as necessary to recover from the error. The calling host must send a reset request packet to the calling node for each logical channel to be reset. The channels will be reset upon receipt of a reset confirmation packet from the calling node. If the entire calling-host-to-calling-node interface is to be reinitialized with all virtual calls being cleared and all virtual circuits being reinitialized, then the calling host must send a restart request packet to the calling node. The interface must then be reinitialized upon receipt of a restart confirmation packet.

The state of the channel must also be able to affected by the calling node. If the calling host is waiting to receive a call connected packet from the calling node and instead receives a clear indication packet from the calling node, then the calling host must send a clear confirmation packet back to the calling node and must clear the pending call request. Also, if the calling host receives a reset indication packet from the calling node, then the calling host must reset the appropriate channel and send a reset confirmation packet back to the calling node. Finally, the

calling host must clear all virtual calls and reset all virtual circuits upon receipt of a restart indication packet and must respond with a restart confirmation packet back to the calling node (1.2).

There must be the capability from the calling host to control the flow of data packets to the calling node as well as the capability to interrupt this flow control with data interrupt packets. This must be accomplished by the Window Calling Host to Called Host Data Packet (1.3) process and the Send Packet to Calling Node (1.4) process. A windowing mechanism must be implemented using the Packet Send Variable $(P(S))$ and the Packet Receive Variable $(P(R))$ which must allow up to W data packets that were transmitted to the calling node to be pending acknowledgement at any time. W is the window size. The packets must be numbered sequentially modulo 8 and the lower window edge (last packet acknowledged by the calling node) must be updated. This must be done using supervisory packets from the calling node as well as the flow control acknowledgement field in the transmitted called host to calling host data packets (1.3). The windowed calling host data packets must also carry an acknowledgement in its flow control acknowledgement field of the last called host to calling host data packet received by the calling host. Since the host interrupt packets to the calling node are not windowed, they must be acknowledged by an interrupt confirmation packet from the calling node (1.4).

The calling host protocol must also accept data packets from the called host that are relayed by the calling node. These packets may be either data interrupt packets from the called host or they may be data packets that were windowed by the calling node protocol (1.5). The data interrupt packets must be confirmed as already mentioned by transmitting an interrupt confirmation packet back to the calling node. Also, the interrupt data must be extracted from the packet and sent to the calling host (1.9,1.10). The windowed data packets from the calling node must be reassembled into the packet sequences that comprised the original data from the called host. These packet sequences must be assembled by first buffering all packets which indicate that more packets follow in the sequence (category 2 packets) until a packet arrives that indicates that it is the last packet in the sequence (category 1 packet). This category 1 packet must then trigger the release of the complete packet sequence (1.6,1.7,1.8). Finally, this called host to calling host complete packet sequence must be sent to the calling host (1.10).

Execute Calling Node Protocol Process. Process 2 can also be expanded into a lower-level DFD and its DFD is shown in Figure 12. The level 3 packets from the calling host must be executed and must result in packets being sent out on the network to be routed to the called node as well as resulting in packets being sent back to the calling host (2.1,2.2). Flow control information from the calling host

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Figure 12   Execute Calling Node Protocol (2) IFD

level 3 packets must be used to update the calling node
windowing variables (2.1).

The routed called node packets must also be executed
and they must result in packets being sent to the calling
host (2.3,2.4). The windowing variables as well as the
calling host supervisory packets must be used for flow
control (2.3). Finally, there must be a process to recover

from a local procedure error that might occur in one of the other processes. This recovery must be initiated by either a reset indication packet or a restart indication packet sent from the calling node to the calling host (2.5).

An expansion of the execute calling host packet into a lower-level DFD is shown in Figure 13. The calling host level 3 packet must first be classified as one of the types of packets shown in the DFD (2.1.1). If a call request packet is received, then an incoming call packet must be generated (2.1.2). If the received packet is a calling host to called host data packet, then its flow control acknowledgements must be used to update the calling node windowing variables (2.1.3). Both the incoming call packet and the calling host to called host data packet as well as a calling host interrupt packet that is received must be sent out on the network. The interrupt packet must, in addition, be confirmed by an interrupt confirmation packet from the calling node (2.1.4). If a clear request is received, then it must be confirmed by a clear confimation packet from the calling node (2.1.5). A node reset confirmation packet must be generated if a reset request is received and the channel must be reset at the calling node (2.1.6). Likewise, receipt of a restart request packet must result in the reinitialization of the calling-node-to-calling-host interface and the reinitialization must be confirmed with a restart confirmation packet (2.1.7). All of these confirmation packets must be sent back to the calling host

Figure 13   Execute Calling Host Packet (2.1) DFD

and together, they constitute the calling node confirmation

packet data flow shown in Figure 12.   A confirmation packet

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from the calling host on an action initiated by the calling node must be an input to the Recover From Procedure Error (1.5) process. This is shown in Figure 12 by the calling host confirmation packet data flow. Finally, a calling host supervisory packet must be an input to the Execute Routed Called Node Packet (1.3) process in Figure 12.

The process that executes routed packets from the called node is specified in more detail through the lower-level DFD in Figure 14. A routed packet from the

Figure 14   Execute Routed Called Node Packet (2.3) DFD

called node must first be classified as either a node interrupt packet, a call accepted packet, or a called host

to calling host data packet (2.3.1). If it is not one of these, then it must be considered an invalid packet and discarded. A called node interrupt packet that is received must interrupt the flow of data from the calling node to the calling host. Then, the data contained in the interrupt packet must be sent to the calling host in another interrupt packet from the calling node (2.3.2). If the routed called node packet is a call accepted packet, then the calling host must be notified of the virtual call connection by sending it a call connected packet (2.3.3). A called host to calling host data packet must be windowed and sent to the calling host. The windowing is accomplished by using the Receive Ready (RR) and Receive Not Ready (RNR) supervisory packets from the calling host and the calling node windowing variables. These are used to send both windowed called host to calling host data packets as well as calling node supervisory packets to the calling host (2.3.4).

Execute Called Node Protocol Process. The Execute Called Node Protocol (4) process shown in Figure 10 is very similar to the execute calling node protocol process. The lower-level DFD's for this process are shown in Figures 15, 16, and 17. As can be seen from these DFD's, the requirements for the Execute Called Node Protocol (4) process are almost identical to those for the Execute Calling Node Protocol (2) process. The major difference is in the handling of the virtual call setup. The called node must relay the incoming call packet to the called host and

Figure 15   Execute Called Node Protocol (4) DFD

then must relay the call accepted packet from the called
host to the calling node (4.1.2,4.3.3).

   Execute Called Host Protocol Process.   As with the
Execute Called Node Protocol (4) process, the Execute Called
Host Protocol (5) process also has an almost identical
counterpart.   As can be seen from the lower-level DFD of the
Execute Called Host Protocol (5) shown in Figure 18, the

Figure 16   Execute Called Host Packet (4.1) DFD

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Figure 17   Execute Routed Calling Node Packet (4.3) DFD

principal difference is again in handling the virtual call.
The Execute Called Host Protocol (5) must accept a virtual
call by sending a call accepted packet to the called node
and it cannot by definition generate a call request (5.2).

   Network Protocol Requirements.   As with the
host-to-host transfer mechanism, the network transfer
mechanism is used by several processes and is treated as a
primitive in the host-to-host protocol.   It is also

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Figure 18   Secure Called Host Protocol (5) DFD

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specified by a set of DFD's starting with the context

Figure 19. Network Protocol Context Diagram

diagram shown in Figure 19.

The network protocol, then, must transmit packets from their source node to their destination node. As can be seen from the Network Protocol Overview DFD in Figure 20, there

Figure 20 Network Protocol Overview DFD

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are actually two processes required to accomplish the network protocol. First, the packet must be routed to a closer node using a lookup table unless it has reached its destination node (1). If it is not at the destination node, then the in-transit packet must be sent to the closer node to which it has been routed (2). Thus, both a routing algorithm to implement the first process and a link transfer mechanism to implement the second process are required for the network protocol.

Routing Algorithm Requirements. Given a simple network topology, the routing algorithm may also be very simple. There is only a requirement for a look up table in each node that is initialized when the network is booted. Since the availability requirement was only 90 percent, there is no need to make the routing algorithm adaptive; however error messages must be given to the user if a host active on the network cannot be reached. If a more complex topology is used, then a distributed adaptive routing algorithm should be implemented as recommended by Ravenscroft (Ref. 16).

Link Protocol Requirements. The X.25 protocol requires that the High Level Data Link Control (HDLC) be used for the level 2 or link protocol. The overview DFD for this protocol is shown in Figure 21. Also, Table 7 shows the process hierarchy for this set of DFDs. This protocol must specify the mechanism by which information is exchanged between adjacent nodes in the network. The Execute HDLC

Figure 21   X.25 Level 2 (HDLC) Overview DFD

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Table 7

<u>Link</u> <u>Protocol</u> <u>Process</u> <u>Hierarchy</u>

1. Execute HDLC Protocol at Primary Node
   1.1   Extract Valid Packet
          1.1.1   Extract Information Between Flags
          1.1.2   Unstuff Zeros
          1.1.3   Check Length
          1.1.4   Generate CRC Remainder
          1.1.5   Check FCS Block
   1.2   Decode Secondary Address and Control Fields
   1.3   Execute Secondary I-Frame Packet
          1.3.1   Validate I-Frame Packet
          1.3.2   Parse I-Frame
          1.3.3   Parse I-Frame Control Field
   1.4   Execute S-Frame Response
          1.4.1   Parse S-Frame Response Control Field
          1.4.2   Decode Response Supervisory Bits
          1.4.3   Send Ready Status and Extract N(R)
          1.4.4   Send Busy Status and Extract N(R)
          1.4.5   Send Reject Condition and Extract N(R)
   1.5   Execute U-Frame Response
          1.5.1   Parse U-Frame Response Control Field
          1.5.2   Decode Response Modifier Bits
          1.5.3   Set Up Link
          1.5.4   Execute Pending State Change
   1.6   Window Primary Information Blocks
          1.6.1   Reset V(S)
          1.6.2   Update Lower Window Edge
          1.6.3   Poll Secondary for Ready State
          1.6.4   Place I-Frame in X.25 Link
          1.6.5   Select Packet for X.25 Link
   1.7   Recover from Procedure Error
   1.8   Send Packet
2. Transmit Bit Streams
3. Execute HDLC Protocol at Secondary Node
   3.1   Extract Valid Packet
   3.2   Decode Primary Address and Control Fields
   3.3   Execute Primary I-Frame
          3.3.1   Validate I-Frame Packet
          3.3.2   Parse I-Frame
          3.3.3   Parse I-Frame Control Field
   3.4   Execute S-Frame Command
          3.4.1   Parse S-Frame Command
          3.4.2   Parse S-Frame Control Field
          3.4.3   Send Ready Status and Extract N(R)
          3.4.4   Send Busy Status and Extract N(R)
          3.4.5   Send Reject Condition and Extract N(R)
   3.5   Execute U-Frame Command
          3.5.1   Parse U-Frame Command Control Field
          3.5.2   Decode Command Modifier Bits
          3.5.3   Disconnect Link
          3.5.4   Set Up Link
   3.6   Window Secondary Information Blocks
          3.6.1   Reset V(S)
          3.6.2   Update Lower Window Edge
          3.6.3   Set Response Final Bit
          3.6.4   Place I-Frame in X.25 Link
          3.6.5   Select Packet for X.25 Link
          3.6.6   Respond to Status Request
   3.7   Request Recovery from Procedure Error
   3.8   Send Packet

Protocol at Primary Node (1) process and the Execute HDLC Protocol at Secondary Node (3) process differ in that the former node must have the responsibility for resetting the channel as well as polling the status of the latter node. However, other than these additional responsibilities, the processes are very similar. The Transmit Bit Streams (2) process is performed by the physical protocol and the transmission medium and so its requirements are analyzed in a later section. First, the Execute HDLC Protocol at Primary Node (1) will be analyzed.

Execute HDLC Protocol at Primary Node. An expanded DFD of this process is shown in Figure 22. There must be an incoming bit stream from the secondary node and an outgoing bit stream to that node since HDLC is a bit-oriented protocol. This satisfies the transparency requirement that was specified to allow the transfer of binary files. The node must supply level 3 packets to the Execute HDLC Protocol at Primary Node (1) process through the routing algorithm and the interface with the host-to-host protocol. This process views the level 3 packets strictly as information blocks to be transmitted and thus the coupling between level 2 and level 3 is minimized. This allows the protocol flexibility requirement specified in Chapter II to be met much more easily. Also, transmitted information blocks from the secondary node must be able to be extracted from the incoming bit stream and supplied to the routing algorithm and host-to-host transfer mechanism.

Figure 22. Process 1.0 Protocol at Primary Node (1) DFD

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The incoming bit stream must be monitored by the Extract Valid Packet (1.1) process and valid level 2 packets extracted from the stream. These level 2 packets must then be classified by their address and control fields as either information (I-frame) packets, supervisory (S-frame) response packets, or unnumbered (U-frame) response packets. The transmitted information block must be extracted from the I-frame packet and the packet sequence information in each of the types of packets must be provided to the windowing process (1.3). A windowing mechanism very similar to that used in the level 3 protocol must be used by the Execute HDLC Protocol at Primary Node (1) process to achieve flow control over the link. The Window Primary Information Blocks (1.6) process must use the packet sequence information V(S) to insure that no more than k blocks are pending acknowledgement at any time where k is the window size. The windowed information blocks as well as the command and response packet replies must be assembled into level 2 packets to be sent to the secondary node. Local procedure errors due to invalid length packets, invalid packet types, and out of sequence I-frames must be recovered from by generating a set asynchronous balanced mode (SABM) command. This command initiates the resetting of the link in both directions (1.7). Finally, the level 2 packet must be sent out of the node in the outgoing bit stream by inserting the packet between two flag characters (1.8).

Extract Valid Packet. The Extract Valid Packet (1.1)

process is expanded into a lower-level DFD in Figure 23. The incoming bit stream must first be monitored for the flag sequence of bits that signifies the start or end of a packet. Once this sequence is detected, all information between it and the next flag must be extracted and passed as a level 2 packet to the Unstuff Zeros (1.1.2) process. However, if an abort sequence of seven contiguous ones is detected or an idle channel state is indicated by fifteen contiguous ones, then the packet being extracted must be discarded (1.1.1). The Unstuff Zeros (1.1.2) process must remove zero bits that were stuffed in the packet to prevent the bit patterns in the packet from appearing as the flag sequence. The unstuffed packet must be checked for valid length and packets of invalid length must also be discarded (1.1.3). Finally, the valid length packet must be checked for bit errors by regenerating the cyclic redundancy check (CRC) remainder and comparing it to the frame checking sequence (FCS) in the packet. If they match, then the packet must be valid. Otherwise, the packet must be discarded (1.1.4,1.1.5).

Execute I-Frame Packet. As shown in the lower-level DFD for this process in Figure 24, the I-frame packet must first be validated by comparing the next packet expected number $N(R)$ of the I-frame to the primary receive state variable $V(R)$. If they do not match then the I-frame must be considered invalid (1.3.1). Otherwise, the valid I-frame packet must be parsed and the control field separated from

Figure 23   Extract Valid Packet (1.1) DFD

Figure 24   Execute Secondary I-Frame Packet (1.3) DFD

the transmitted information block (1.3.2). The control
field must then be parsed further to extract $N(R)$ and the
packet sequence number $N(S)$. The transmitted information
block must be provided to the node as a level 3 packet and
$N(R)$ and $N(S)$ must be used to provide packet sequence
information to the windowing mechanism (1.3.3).

    <u>Execute S-Frame Response</u>.   The Execute S-Frame
Response (1.4) process lower-level DFD is shown in Figure
25.   The S-frame must first be parsed to extract the
response supervisory function bits and the final bit
(1.4.1). If the final bit is set, then the response must be
interpreted as the reply to the last command sent out by the
process with the poll bit set. The supervisory modifier
bits must be classified as either a Receive Ready (RR)
response, a Receive Not Ready (RNR) response, or a Reject

Figure 25   Execute S-Frame Response (1.4) IFD

(REJ) response (1.4.2). If the S-frame response is an RR response, then the ready indication must be sent to the Window Primary Information Blocks (1 (1.4.3).6) process. Also, the N(R) of the RR response must be used to update V(R) which stores the sequence number of the next I-frame expected from the secondary node. If the S-frame response is an   response, then the busy status must be sent to the windowing process and N(R) used to update V(R) (1.4.4). Finally, a REJ response must result in the N(R) of the REJ response updating V(R) and the windowing process receiving a reject exception condition (1.4.5).

Execute U-Frame Response.   The Execute U-Frame Response (1.5) process can also be expanded further as shown

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in Figure 26. The U-frame response, like the S-frame

Figure 26 Execute U-Frame Response (1.5) DFD

response, must first be parsed to extract the final bit and
the modifier bits (1.5.1). The final bit must be processed
as it was for the S-frame response and the response modifier
bits must be decoded and the U-frame response classified as
either a disconnected mode (DM) response, an unnumbered (UA)
response, or a command (frame) reject (CMDR(FRMR)) response
(1.5.2). A DM response or a CMDR(FRMR) response from the
secondary node must result in an SABM command being sent to
the windowing process to initiate setting up the link
between the primary and secondary nodes. Also, this pending
link setup must be stored in the pending state change
variable (1.5.3). If the U-frame resonse is a UA response,
then the pending state change variable must be accessed to

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determine if a link setup or disconnect is pending. If so, the state must be changed to the pending state and the pending state change variable cleared (1.5.4).

Window Primary Information Blocks. As can be seen in Figure 27, this process must exercise overall control over both directions of the link transmission. A rejection exception condition must be cleared by resetting the primary send state variable V(S) to the N(R) supplied from the Execute S-Frame Response (1.4) process and by sending a reject ready indication to the Place I-Frame in X.25 Link Queue. This is done by the Reset V(S) process (1.6.1). Irregardless of whether the N(R) came from an I-frame, an RR command, an RNR command, or a REJ command, it must be used to update the lower window edge. This updated lower window edge must then be used to place I-frames in the X.25 link queue (1.6.2). The busy and ready indications must be used to place the X.25 link in the ready condition as soon as possible, if it is not in that state already (1.6.3). This is done by generating an RR command to poll the secondary node repeatedly until it indicates that it is in the ready state. When the link status input, the reject ready indication, or the ready indication indicates that the secondary node is in the ready state, then I-frames must be placed in the X.25 link queue until V(S) is one less than the updated lower window edge (modulo k) (1.6.4). Finally, the Select Packet for X.25 Link (1.6.5) process must select the level 2 packet to be sent next by servicing the I-frame

Figure 27   Window Primary Information Blocks (1.6) DFD

queue but giving priority to the SABM command, RR command, or DISC command if one is waiting to be transmitted.

Execute HDLC Protocol at Secondary Node.   As can be

seen from Figure 28, this process is very similar to the
Execute HDLC Protocol at Primary Node (1) process. There
are, however, some major differences. The valid primary
packet may be either an I-frame, an S-frame command, or a
U-frame command (3.2). Thus, the primary node must send
S-frame and U-frame commands to the secondary node while the
secondary node can only send back S-frame and U-frame
responses. Also, the secondary node must request recovery
from procedure errors by sending CMDR(FRMR) responses to the
primary node (3.7). Finally, the primary I-frame may have a
node status polling request that must be answered with
either an I-frame or an S-frame response (3.3,3.4).

Execute Primary I-Frame. This process is similar to
the Execute Secondary I-Frame (1.3) process but differs
slightly. The lower-level DFD of the Execute Primary
I-Frame (3.3) process in Figure 29 shows that the poll bit
is extracted from the I-frame rather than the final bit
(3.3.2). Other than this slight difference the I-frames are
processed almost identically by the primary and secondary
nodes.

Execute S-Frame Command. The lower-level DFD for the
Execute S-Frame Command (3.4) process is shown in Figure
30. It is also identical to its counterpart with the
exception of the poll bit (3.4.1).

Execute U-Frame Command. The Execute U-Frame Command
(3.5) process is quite different from its counterpart in the
primary node. As shown in Figure 31, the U-frame command

Figure 28. Execute HDLC Protocol at Secondary Node (3) IFD

Figure 29. Execute Primary I-Frame Packet (3.3) DFD

can be either a disconnect (DISC) command or an SABM command
transmitted from the primary node (3.5.2). The DISC command
must result in the secondary node entering the disconnected
state and generating a UA response to be sent to the primary
node. If the node was already disconnected, then a DM
response must be generated instead (3.5.3). The transmitted
SABM command must result in the link being reinitialized
with $V(R)$ and $V(S)$ set to zero. Moreover, a UA response
must be generated for this command (3.5.4).

Window Secondary Information Blocks. The lower-level
DFD of this process is shown in Figure 32. In addition to
the processes required in the Window Primary Information
Blocks (1.6), this process also must insure that responses

Figure 30. Execute S-Frame Command (3.4) DFD

Figure 31. Execute U-Frame Command (3.5) DFD

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Figure 3. Window Secondary Information Blocks (3.6) DFD

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are generated to all commands received from the primary node and that in those responses, the final bit is set (3.6.3,3.6.6).

Physical Protocol Requirements. The X.25 protocol requires that the RS-449 interface standard be used to implement the physical level protocol. However, levels 2 and 3 do not require that a certain physical level protocol be used. Thus, this requirement for the RS-449 interface was not considered binding. There were, then, two principal requirements for the physical level protocol. It had to be a widely recognized standard to minimize the difficulty in adding new hosts to DELNET and it had to be compatible with the transmission medium selected and the distances of transmission required. The distance from the hosts to their entry nodes should not exceed 75 feet given the present available space in the Digital Engineering Laboratory. Thus, if these requirements could be met then the Transmit Bits (2) process in the link level protocol could be performed.

Summary

This chapter has refined the hardware specifications and addressed the software specifications for DELNET in detail. The software specification was lengthy, and yet, because of the partitioning and levels of abstraction made possible through the use of Structured Analysis, it was fairly easy to comprehend. The data dictionary contains even more information on these specifications and for that

reason is included as Appendix C. These requirements formed the basic foundation for the overall structural design of the DELNET software described in Chapter IV.

IV. Design of DELNET

Introduction

The previous chapters determined the user functional requirements and translated them into a detailed set of hardware requirements as well as a structured software specification. In this chapter, the hardware requirements are employed along with supporting background information to develop the hardware design. The software for DELNET is also designed using Yourdon and Constantine's structured design techniques to translate the structured specification into the module structure charts found in Appendix D. Finally, the software modules are allocated to specific processors in DELNET.

Hardware Design

Topology. Although there was a requirement that the topology be able to be easily modified, there was still a need for an initial DELNET topology. The topology shown in Figure 33 was chosen for several reasons. The basic loop architecture of the nodes allows the routing algorithm to be simple since a message has only two possible paths to its destination node. This decreases the development time of DELNET and allows it to be operational while a more sophisticated routing algorithm is being developed to handle more complex topologies. Also, the loop network has only one more link between nodes than a minimum spanning tree. This can be seen by deleting one link from the loop

Figure 33. Basic HINET Topology

architecture. The network in this case degenerates to a
linear connection. Since no more links can be removed from
the network and leave it connected, this constitutes a
minimum spanning tree. This makes the loop architecture
cost-effective. Since adding another node simply requires
breaking one connection and adding two new ones, the loop
network is easy to expand. It is these advantages that make

the loop network preferable in general for local networks
and very useful in the case of DELNET in particular (Ref.
10: 75). There are disadvantages, however, to the loop
topology. The reliability decreases as the number of nodes
on the network increases. This is a direct consequence of
the near minimum number of links in the network. Also, the
response time will increase as the number of nodes increases
since each node that a message must pass through adds a
delay to the transit time. Since the initial number of
nodes on the network will be small and since the
availability was only 90 percent, these disadvantages do not
pose a problem at present.

The star topology connecting the hosts to the node was
chosen for three reasons. First, it minimizes the loop
topology's disadvantages by decreasing the number of nodes
in the network. Also, by allowing one node to interface
several hosts to DELNET, it is cost-effective since the cost
of the nodes can be substantial. This will be seen in a
following section addressing the node design. In addition,
the star topology makes it practical to interface small
inexpensive computers such as the E & I Instruments
Mini-Micro Designer (MMD-1) to the network (Ref. 11:
Chapter IV). This is true even though the computers' costs
might only be a fraction of the the node's costs. Another
advantage is that the hosts that will interact the most with
each other can be grouped at the same node. In this
configuration, much of the traffic need only pass through

its entry node to the network. This decreases the average response time on DELNET and decreases the amount of traffic transmitted between nodes. However, reliability from the host's perspective is decreased since the failure of a node can cause several hosts to lose access to the network. Also, there must be a greater transmission rate between nodes than that between the hosts and the nodes. This is to keep the nodes from acting as bottlenecks and thereby decreasing throughput to an unacceptable level.

Hosts. Three hosts were chosen for the initial network configuration. This number represents the minimum number of hosts that would exercise the protocols sufficiently. The VAX-11/780 was chosen because it is the most powerful and sophisticated of the minicomputers in the Digital Engineering Laboratory. It also has the capability to transfers files to and from the CYBER 750 and thus helps to partially fulfill the user requirement for access to that host. The Intel Series II MDS was chosen to represent the other end of the spectrum since it is an 8080-based microcomputer and has a high rate of usage. Also, a distributed database system has been designed for this computer that should aid efforts in implementing a distributed database system on DELNET. The third host chosen was the Data General Nova. This computer has a high usage rate and is already linked through a shared disk drive to the Data General Eclipse. It is also linked to the Cyber 750 mainframe computer through a communications protocol and

a 300 baud telephone line. Thus, the Nova will allow the other hosts on DELNET to have indirect access to the Cyber 750 and the computational power of the Eclipse.

Nodes. The first possibilities examined to perform the function of the nodes on DELNET were existing local network software packages that might be procured to interface the hosts selected. These were rejected for two principal reasons. The commercially available networks offered no flexibility to the protocols they employed and would have been very difficult to modify. This is especially true since these packages do not usually include the source code. The other deterrent was the high cost of these network packages. For at least one of the networks, the cost of including many of the computers in the Digital Engineering Laboratory was higher than the cost of the computers themselves.

A Universal Network Interface Device (UNID) developed by the Digital Engineering Laboratory was also studied for possible use as the node in DELNET (Refs. 4,18). The UNID offered several advantages. Since it was developed as a series of Digital Engineering Laboratory research projects, complete documentation on the development and design of the UNID is available. Thus, any required modification to the UNID's hardware would be facilitated. The UNID was developed for a multi-loop network but can be used in all topologies except a bus architecture. So, the requirement for flexibility in the topology could be satisfied. In

addition, the use of two Z-80A microprocessors in each UNID allows parallel processing to take place and minimizes the time that the packets must spend being processed by the nodes. The availability of a higher level language, PL/Z, and a software development system that has been interfaced to the UNID is also a significant advantage. Finally, using the UNID in DELNET also would satisfy an existing requirement to test the UNID in an operational environment. The major disadvantage to the UNID was its fairly high cost (approximately three thousand dollars) which limits the number of UNIDs that can be procured initially for DELNET. Because the advantages of the UNID greatly outweighed the disadvantage associated with its cost, the UNID was selected as the node for DELNET.

One UNID has been built and has been tested using some basic software routines (Ref. 4). Because this UNID was still in the prototype stage, only enough parts for one additional UNID were ordered. The two UNIDs will allow eight hosts to be included in DELNET and so the three hosts in the initial configuration can be easily accomodated.

Transmission Medium. The requirement that one link in DELNET use fiber optics was met by procuring a fiber optic data link to connect the two UNIDs. This link was chosen to be implemented using fiber optics due to its requirement for a high transmission rate (56 Kbs) and its length (120 ft). The links between the UNIDs and the hosts will be implemented using twisted pair since the

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transmission rate is limited to 19.2 Kbaud by the serial
ports on the hosts and the distances between the hosts and
the UNIDs are less than 75 feet. Since no problems have
been experienced in the Digital Engineering Laboratory with
links of this distance, this lowest-cost option was
selected. As additional UNIDs are added to DELNET, these
will be interconnected using shielded twisted pair. Other
mediums considered for the links included coaxial cable,
broadband coax, and ribbon cable. The coaxial cable would
allow higher transmission rates but was not considered
justified by the throughput and response time requirements.
Very high transmission rates can be obtained using broadband
coax and yet the modems required for the interface to the
medium are very costly. Broadband coax is, however, an
attractive alternative for local networks when very high
transmission rates are desired (Ref. 8). Finally, ribbon
cable was rejected due to its low noise tolerance and
because a bit-serial protocol was to be employed. The total
hardware design is shown in Figure 34.

Software Design

Introduction. The design of the software was
accomplished using structured design techniques proposed by
Yourdon and Constantine. Two principal methods were used to
translate the structured specification into module structure
charts, transform analysis and transaction analysis. These
techniques were chosen due to their direct correspondence to
the DFDs specified in Chapter 3.

Figure 34. Initial Network Configuration

Transform analysis is used to translate a DFD into three sets of modules. The first set of modules gets data from the source. The data is transformed into the output by the second set and the third set outputs the data to the sink. To partition the DFD into the three sets of modules, the DFD is divided into an afferent branch, a transform section, and an efferent branch. This is done by tracing the input from the source to the furthest data flow where it is still recognizable as an input. Likewise, the output is traced backwards from the sink to the first data flow where it is recognizable as an output. These two data flows then are used as the boundaries between the three sections of the DFD.

For the first set of modules, the structure is derived

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by making an afferent module for each data flow and a transform module for each process. This is illustrated in

Figure 35. Factoring the Afferent Branch

Figure 35. For the second set of modules, the first module is factored into subordinate transform modules that perform the functions stated by the process names. An example of this is shown in Figure 36. The structure for the last set of modules is designed similarly to the set of afferent modules. As shown in Figure 37, the efferent module has subordinate to it another efferent module and a transform module that relates the two data flows specified by the efferent modules. A complete description of transform analysis is given in Yourdon and Constantine's book, Structured Design (Ref. 22: 187-222). The module structure chart showing all three sets of modules is shown in Figure

Figure 36. Factoring the Transform Section

38. This technique was used throughout the module structure design phase. An example of this technique being used in the DELNET design is shown in Figure 39 for the file transfer protocol.

The other technique that was used a great deal was transaction analysis (Ref. 22: 223-229). This technique is particularly useful for translating DFDs with processes that classify an input as one of a number of outputs. Using transaction analysis, a DFD like that shown in Figure 40(a) may be translated into a module structure chart like that in Figure 40(b). The module structure chart for the help user protocol is shown in Figure 41 as an example of this technique.

Allocation of Software Modules

Figure 37. Factoring the Efferent Branch

A complete set of module structure charts can be found in Appendix D for the system software design. However, there are some design decisions that were made that are not obvious from the module structure charts. These decisions include the allocation of the software modules to the various processors on DELNET and also the allocation of some of the lowest level module functions to hardware devices. These allocations are discussed in the following paragraphs.

High-Level Protocol Design. The network operating system (NOS) is obviously distributed over all the processors in DELNET. However, an attempt was made to

Figure 38. Transform Analysis Technique

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Figure 39. Transfer File Module Structure Chart

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Figure 40. Transaction Analysis Technique

centralize as many functions that were not host-specific in one host for two reasons. The configuration control and ease of modification are both enhanced if only one copy of the module exists at an NOS host. If each host has a copy of each module, then a change to the network command language entails changing the software in every host. Also, the presence of modules in every host performing identical functions unnecessarily uses storage space on each host. There are some disadvantages to centralizing as much of the NOS as possible on one host, though. If the NOS host fails, then the network is not operational. Also, more traffic must be routed to the NOS host than would be the case if each host processed the network commands. Table 8 lists those modules that are present in each host and Table 9

Figure 41. Help User Module Structure Chart

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Table 8

High-Level Protocol Modules Present at Each Host

> Get User Command
>
> Put User Response
>
> Execute User Command
>
> Execute Local Command
>
> Route Local Command
>
> Execute Routed Local Command
>
> Route Local Response
>
> Execute Network Command
>
> Send Command to Host with NOS
>
> Send Response to User
>
> Get Network-Structured File
>
> Get Host-Structured File
>
> Restructure File for Network
>
> Transmit Network-Structured File
>
> Restructure File for Host
>
> Store Host-Structured File
>
> Log User into Network
>
> Log User out of Network

lists those modules that are located only in the NOS host.
Obviously, most of the modules are too host-specific to be
located in the NOS host, however those modules most likely
to be changed were able to be centralized there.

Lower-level Protocol Design.   The availability of the

Table 9

Additional High-Level Protocol Modules

Present at NOS Host

Execute Transmitted Network Command

Transfer File

Transmit Get-File Command to Source Host

Control Session

Get List of File Transfers

Help User

Provide General Network Introduction

Provide Explanation of File Transfer Command

Provide List of Active Hosts and Devices

Provide Explanation of Session Control Commands

two processors in the UNID allowed almost all the
host-to-host, network, and link level protocol modules to be
allocated to the nodes. This, however, generated an
additional requirement for the host-to-node interface. A
virtual terminal protocol was required to make the node
appear as a terminal to its hosts. Thus, the overall
allocation of modules between the processors was as shown in
Figure 42 .

By locating the calling host protocol in the local side
of the UNID, the amount of work necessary to implement this
protocol is decreased significantly. This is because the
modules are not host-specific and need only be written

Figure 42. Allocation of Lower-level Software Modules

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once. The virtual terminal protocol is the only host-specific interfacing requirement and this can be implemented with an interrupt-driven routine on single-user hosts and by sending the necessary operating system commands on a multi-user system like the VAX-11/780 to create a file from a terminal and to output a file to a terminal.

Another advantage to allocating the calling host protocol to the local side of the UNID is that the calling host and the calling node protocols can communicate through 32 Kbytes of shared memory in the UNID. There are also 32 Kbytes of memory for each processor that enables all buffering and packet assembly to be done in the node. The shared memory is much more reliable and so this is also an advantage.

The same advantages hold for allocating the called host protocol also to the local side of the UNID. In addition, because the calling host and called host protocols are so similar, most of the modules can be shared by both. Likewise, the calling node and called node protocols can also share most modules between them.

The routing algorithm module must be allocated to the network side of the UNID as must be the link protocol modules. However, almost all of the Extract Valid Packet Module and Insert Packet in the Bit Stream Module can be accomplished by the Z-80 Serial Input Output (SIO) integrated circuit. This SIO is programmable and can accomplish many of the functions such as CRC checking at a

much faster rate than could be done by the network processor (Ref. 23).

Summary

This chapter has translated the hardware and software requirements into a system design. The hardware design specifies the topology to be used, the hosts to be included, the specific node to use, and the transmission mediums to be used for each of the links. Each of these design decisions is based upon the requirements analysis and supported by background data gained from researching the various design options. The software design is based upon the structured specification and was derived primarily using transform analysis and transaction analysis. These techniques are very briefly described and the module structure charts are included in Appendix D. Finally, the software modules were allocated to the processors in the network and this allocation design was supported by an analysis of the impact of each allocation decision.

V. Implementation and Testing of the
Network Command Language Interpreter

Introduction

The modules in the NOS host that interpret the network commands entered by the user have been implemented. In addition, the "help" user protocol was implemented completely. The unique factors that impacted this implementation are discussed in this chapter as are the basic principles used in implementing the modules. Also, the testing procedures that were employed to verify the modules are summarized. Finally, the testing results are stated.

Implementation

One of the first challenges in the implementation phase was to devise a log-in procedure to the network that would not be host-specific. The word, "NETWORK," was chosen as the character string to be used for two reasons. It does not contain any special characters that might be misinterpreted by the host's operating system. Also, this word is easy for the user to remember and so it improves the man-machine interface. This module was implemented on the VAX-11/780 by placing a symbol assignment in the operating system routine that logs in the user. This symbol assignment equates the character string "NETWORK" to a command procedure file call. Thus, typing in "NETWORK" causes a command procedure file to be executed which then

activates the main network module that interprets the network commands. Although it was possible to implement this module on the VAX-11/780 without modifying the actual operating system, this may not be possible on the Nova and Intel Series II.

Another man-machine interface consideration was the structure of the network commands. These commands were implemented with position-independent parameters. This greatly simplifies for the user the task of learning the network command structure and also decreases the number of erroneous commands that will be entered (Ref. 13: 11-15). Instead, the short abbreviations, FN (filename), DD (destination device), DH (destination host), SD (source device), and SH (source host) are used to identify the parameters. Moreover, if any parameter is entered erroneously, then the user is prompted for a correct entry for that parameter. Missing parameters are also handled in this manner.

The user has the option of entering either the full keywords for the commands or just the first letters of the keywords. This keeps a regular user of the system from being hampered by long commands and yet keeps a novice or infrequent user from having to cope with cryptic one-letter commands and parameters. The list of keywords in the network command language is given in Table 10.

The user "help" protocol was implemented and can provide the user with all information required to use

Table 10

Valid Keywords

<u>Network</u> <u>Command</u> <u>Parameter</u>

LOGI<u>N</u>
<u>L</u>OGO<u>U</u>T
<u>T</u>RANSFER FILE
<u>H</u>ELP

<u>File</u> <u>Transfer</u> <u>Parameters</u>

    Source Host (<u>SH=</u>), Destination Host (<u>DH=</u>),

    <u>I</u>NTEL
    <u>N</u>OVA
    <u>V</u>AX

    Source Device (<u>SD=</u>)

    <u>F</u>LOPPYDISK
    <u>H</u>ARDDISK
    <u>T</u>APE

    Destination Device (<u>DD=</u>)

    <u>C</u>ONSOLE
    <u>F</u>LOPPYDISK
    <u>H</u>ARDDISK
    <u>P</u>RINTER
    <u>T</u>APE

<u>Local</u> <u>Host</u> <u>Parameter</u>

Null   (Defaults to user host)
<u>I</u>NTEL
<u>N</u>OVA
<u>V</u>AX

<u>Help</u> <u>Parameter</u>

<u>F</u>ILE TRANSFER
<u>L</u>IST CONFIGURATION
<u>S</u>ESSION COMMANDS

DELNET. This protocol is tiered so that entry into to the protocol can be accomplished by simply typing "HELP" and yet with the addition of another keyword more specific information can be gained.

One factor that significantly increases the implementation effort is the need for complete error detection and recovery. Every module had to be protected to withstand any user input irregardless of its likelihood. This is because a process in a remote host aborting due to an out-of-range variable or other invalid input would never be perceived by the user who input the command. Thus, error recovery would be almost impossible for that user. Therefore, every module was implemented to validate the inputs first and issue error messages to be transmitted back to the user in lieu of the normal response if an invalid input was detected. This greatly increased the size and complexity of the modules and yet did succeed in making the modules impervious to invalid user inputs.

During implementation, every attempt was made to continue the practices employed during the requirements specification and design. In particular, each module was implemented such that it hid the data structures and algorithms employed as much as possible from other modules. One example of this was in the Transfer File module. This module was passed the string of characters that followed the transfer file keyword. Thus, the superordinate module did not require any knowledge of the actual number of file

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transfer parameters. Data coupling between modules was also an objective as was functional cohesion within the modules. These objectives were satisfied where possible in the design phase and yet care had to be taken in the implementation phase to insure that the coupling and cohesion previously achieved were not compromised.

Finally, careful consideration was given to the data structures to be employed. For example, the tradeoffs of using a linked list versus an array to store the character string representing the network command were thoroughly studied before the array was chosen. The array offered faster direct access to key positions in each parameter field and was simpler to implement. On the other hand, the linked list allowed parameter lengths and command lengths to vary more freely and would require less storage space than the array. This would be especially true if the expert mode was used most often. The requirements for ease cf maintenance and the desire to limit command lengths to one packet (128 bytes) made the array more attractive.

The last phase of implementation for each module consisted of debugging the module. Care was taken to insure that changes made in this phase did not destroy the structure of the module originally implemented. The code for these modules is included in Appendix E. Once the modules were free of compilation errors, they were tested using stubs and drivers as well as the techniques described in the following section.

Testing

Because of the need for complete error detection and recovery, the testing had to be rigorous. As a starting point, inputs were chosen to insure that all segments of code were executed. This was done by choosing inputs to cause each branch to be taken. Also, when a branch depended upon a compound logical expression, inputs were chosen for each of the possible logical combinations.

Equivalence class testing was also used. This procedure entailed breaking the input into its components and testing combinations of valid components until all equivalence classes of valid components had been covered. Then invalid components from each equivalence class were tested individually. As an example of this method, the testing of the transfer file command is described. First, valid file transfer parameters were used in the file transfer commands until all valid keywords had been included in at least one command. Then, an invalid file transfer parameter was tested with all other file transfer parameters being correct. This second procedure was repeated until one invalid keyword had been tested for each of the file transfer parameters.

Boundary value analysis was also used to test the modules. The values at the borders of the equivalence classes were tested to detect "off by one" errors. This proved to be one of the most useful techniques. As an example of this technique, the testing of the network

command parameter is described. This parameter could not exceed twenty characters. To test the behavior of the module that parsed the network command, network command parameters that were zero, one, nineteen, twenty, and twenty-one characters long were used.

The testing was done incrementally. As a module was coded and debugged, it was then integrated into the set of modules that had already been tested. This new set of modules was then rigorously tested using the techniques already mentioned. This procedure was repeated until the test of the last module was actually a test of the complete network command language interpreter. This method worked very well and allowed interface problems between modules to be isolated quickly. Finally, records were kept of each of these tests to aid in maintaining the program. Using these documented results, a modification to the network command language can be verified by using the same input data in addition to new data to test the extensions or modifications to the network command language. These test results are included as Appendix F.

The goal of the testing was more than to just give some assurance that the program executed correctly. It was also to characterize the response of the program to the class of possible inputs. While this is not an attainable goal, due to the large universe of inputs that are possible, it did succeed in forcing the testing effort to exceed that required to convince the author of the program that his

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program was correct. After testing was completed, there were no known inputs that resulted in a logical error in the program.

Summary

The network command language interpreter and the user help protocol were both implemented. The network log in procedure was implemented such that it was not host-specific. Also, the commands were implemented with position-independent parameters and made interactive so that the user could be prompted for invalid inputs. Both a novice and expert mode were made possible by the implementation and the modules were implemented to validate all inputs. Both information hiding and a careful selection of data structures were employed during the implementation. Finally, the modules were tested incrementally using path analysis, equivalence class testing, and boundary value analysis.

VI. Conclusions and Recommendations

From the outset of this investigation, the development of DELNET was based upon the actual requirements of the Digital Engineering Laboratory. The user interviews were employed both to determine these requirements and to document them. From these requirements the functional requirements of DELNET were determined.

The functional requirements were used to determine the hardware specifications and the software structured specification. This portion of the investigation was the most time-consuming. In determining these specifications, however, design decisions had to be made. Thus, the process was iterative.

The time invested in the structured specification did prove worthwhile, though, when the design phase was started. Because of the amount of partitioning that had already been done, the design proved to be fairly straightforward. Structured design techniques were employed and then the software modules were allocated to the processors in the network.

The software modules were also implemented using structured techniques. Module coupling and cohesion were monitored and structured programming was employed. The most difficulty was encountered in the interface to the VAX-11/780 operating system to implement the "Get User Command" module on that host.

The testing was conducted thoroughly using branch analysis, equivalence class testing, and boundary value analysis. The implemented modules were also tested incrementally which simplified the overall system testing greatly.

In summary, through the user interviews, Structured Analysis techniques, and Structured Design techniques, a top-down design of DELNET was achieved. All primary requirements of the Digital Engineering Laboratory for file transfer capability and resource sharing have been met in the design as have the pedagogical requirements for flexibility in the topology, protocols, and transmission medium. The structured approach allowed the interfaces between the layers of protocol to be clearly defined and together the structured specification and the module structure charts will allow the implementation of DELNET by the follow-on investigations.

Recommendations

Because of the structured approach, it is possible for the implementation to be accomplished through concurrent research projects. One of the research projects should be directed towards interfacing the host to the UNID and implementing the rest of the high-level modules. The specific tasks involved in this effort are listed below:

1. Implement virtual terminal protocol for UNID
2. . ment file restructuring modules for each host

3. Implement get-file, store-file, and user-command modules for each host

4. Implement command routing table in each host

5. Test network and gather performance data

6. Update network users manual

7. If time permits, interface Nova to DELNET through the Cromemco rather than through its serial port

8. If time permits, add more hosts to the network

The other research project should require that the X.25 modules and the routing algorithm module be implemented in the UNID. These objectives will also require a thorough understanding of the UNID. The specific tasks for this investigation are listed below:

1. Implement modules listed on module structure charts for Level 3

   a. Suggest using Zilog software development station and PL/Z and then using code generator to generate Z-80 code for the UNID

   b. Test and debug network protocols

2. Implement modules listed on module structure chart for Level 2

   a. Some modules can be implemented in PL/Z, others are performed by the hardware, others must be written in assembly language

   b. Implement physical links and test (includes a fiber optic link)

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c. Test and debug link protocols

3. Implement the routing algorithm module and its lookup table in the UNID.

4. Collect performance data on X.25 protocol (eg., efficiency, throughput, response times)

With these two follow-on investigations, DELNET should have an initial operational capability. Additional follow-on efforts to enhance the network are also recommended, however. Because there was some interest in a distributed database on DELNET, one should be implemented. A design has been formulated for this database in another research project at the Air Force Institute of Technology (Ref. 17). Also, a distributed processing layer should be developed eventually to enable the sharing of software tools. More UNIDs should be procured and more hosts should be added to DELNET to enhance its usefulness as a tool for research in local computer networks. Implementing other protocols on DELNET will also be necessary if the network is to be used for research in this area. In addition, a more complex routing algorithm may be required as the number of nodes increases and will definitely be required for more complex topologies that might later be used. Thus, it is recommended that the routing algorithm recommended by Ravenscroft also be implemented (Ref. 16). Finally, the usefulness of the network will be enhanced by the addition of remote bootstrap capability and gateways to the CYBER 750, the ARPANET, and AFITNET.

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Appendix A

User Interview Results

This appendix contains a compilation of the results of the user interviews that were conducted in the requirements analysis phase of the investigation. These results provided the basis for the specification of the DELNET functional requirements in Chapter II.

Interview Outline

Introductory Narrative

I am in the preliminary design phase for the Digital
Engineering Laboratory Local Computer Network (DELNET) and
am attempting to determine the uses envisioned for DELNET as
well as all functional requirements associated with it. For
this reason, I would appreciate any help that you can give me
in accurately determining these requirements. Hopefully, the
questions that I have prepared in the interview outline will
provide a framework in which you can communicate your ideas
to me in this area.

The interview is divided into three sections. The first
section lists typical uses of local computer networks, asks
you to evaluate the benefits of having the capability for each
use on DELNET, and then asks you to specify which uses you
would like to see implemented first. The second section lists
some of the functional requirements that must be determined
and asks specific questions dealing with each of these re-
quirements. At the end of this section, you will be asked to
rate each of the functional requirements on a scale from not
applicable to essential. Finally, the third section requests
that you express any ideas that you have concerning DELNET
that were not expressed by your responses to the questions in
the first two sections.

Name of the Person Interviewed_____

Date of Interview_____ _____ _

Courses Taught by Professor_____

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Section I Projected Uses of DELNET

A. Resource Sharing

1. Peripheral Sharing--Capability to access network from any terminal and access any peripheral in the network from any host.

2. File Access and Transfer--Capability to transfer files between the devices and the hosts with all file restructuring transparent to the user.

3. Software Tool Sharing--Capability to access programs, compilers, cross-assemblers, and utility routines anywhere in the network for the user's program.

4. Access to ARPANET--Capability to access ARPANET from any terminal.

5. Access to CYBER 750--Capability to access CYBER from any terminal.

6. Access to AFITNET--Capability to access AFITNET from any terminal. AFITNET is a network of computers that will execute much of the AFIT workload that is currently on the CYBER.

B. Distributed Processing--Capability of executing job processes that can run concurrently on different computers.

C. Distributed Databases--Capability to access and maintain databases that are distributed across several computers in the network.

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D. Fault-tolerance--Capability to provide a more graceful degradation of user service when a network failure occurs.

Projected Use	Very Beneficial	Beneficial	Somewhat Beneficial	Of Little Use	Of No Use
Peripheral Sharing	7	0	0	0	0
File Transfers	5	2	0	0	0
Software Tool Sharing	2	4	1	0	0
Access to CYBER 750	3	3	1	0	0
Access to AFITNET	3	4	0	0	0
Distributed Processing	2	1	2	2	0
Distributed Databases	2	0	2	3	0
Fault Tolerance	0	1	1	3	2

E. What group of things would you like to see implemented first?

    Peripheral Sharing------7

    File Transfers---------6

    Software Tool Sharing---1

    Access to CYBER 750-----1

    Distributed Database----1

Section II Functional Requirements of DELNET

A. User-oriented Requirements

1. Throughput

a. For the courses that you will be teaching during the next four quarters, which computers do you expect to be utilized by your students?

b. What will be the average utilization?

c. What will be the maximum utilization?

Computer	Normal Usage	Maximum Usage
Nova/Eclipse	8 hours/day	24 hours/day
VAX-11/780	7 hours/day	10 hours/day
LSI-11s	10 hours/day	18 hours/day
Intel Series II	2 hours/day	3 hours/day
MIME	3 hours/day	4 hours/day

d. How would you see the network being utilized by your students?

File Transfers------3

Peripheral Sharing---1

Access to CYBER 750--1

Simulations---------1

Interactive Mode-----1

2. Response Time

Do you forsee any projected uses of the network that require that the response time of the network to a set of commands not exceed some threshold?

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No--------------------1
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Yes, 60K file transfers from CYBER in less than 10 min

Yes, file transfers in 10-15 seconds

Yes, interactive command responses in 5-7 sec

Yes, interactive command responses in 2-3 sec

Yes, interactive command responses in less than 1 sec

Yes, inputs echoed in less than 0.5 sec

Yes, general response time should be less than 1 min

Yes, standard deviation of the response time distri-
bution should less than 1/2 the mean response time

3. User Interface

a. Would symbolic device accessing be desirable?
(Making the actual host that an I/O device is connected to
transparent to the user)

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Yes---7

No----0
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b. Should the same be done for software tools?

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Yes------------------5

No-------------------1

Should have option---1
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c. What other features should the network present to
the user?

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Overall Transparency------------------------4

Error Recovery------------------------------1

User Helps----------------------------------1

Option to Waive Transparency----------------1

System Disk Center--------------------------1

Database Access for Applications Programs---1
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4. Security

   a. Do you forsee the running of classified data or programs on the network, and if so at what classification?

        Yes---0

        No----7

   b. Do you forsee the need to protect databases on the network from unauthorized access?

        Yes---4

        No----2

        Maybe-1

        Access to the network needs to be controlled--1

        Varying levels of access are needed-----------1

5. Availability

   a. What is the minimum percentage of time that you feel that the network should be available?

   b. What is the reason for giving the above availability?

        99.9%----1   (This should be attainable)

        90%------3   (Research needs for digital signal
                       processing, should approach availa-
                       bility of machines)

        80%------1   (Gives some slack)

        60%------1   (Sufficient to meet requirements of
                       digital laboratory)

6. Other User-oriented Requirements

   Self-answering modem connected to one node----1

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B. Design-oriented Requirements

These requirements are not as user-oriented and you need only comment on those that you have interest in.

1. Flexibility

a. What changes do you see being made to the network during the next few years?

More hosts and devices being added to it--------6

An on-line 5 Mbit storage device being added----1

Being used more for non-DEL purposes------------1

More networks being accessible from DELNET------1

Workload changing from mainly file transfers
  to more interactive command use----------------1

More software development systems being added---1

b. How important do you feel that it is for DELNET to be easily reconfigurable with respect to the following:

Network Subcomponents	Very	Somewhat	Not	Pedagogical Only
New Computers and Devices	7	0	0	0
New Topologies	0	1	2	4
New Protocols	1	1	1	4
New Transmission Medium	2	1	1	3

Important to be able to vary between serial and parallel-1

2. Performance Monitoring

What performance monitoring capabilities should DELNET have?

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Collect accounting data---------------3

Collect node statistics---------------3

Hardware monitors---------------------2

Software monitors---------------------2

As much as possible-------------------2

Monitor network status----------------1

Detect network bottlenecks------------1

Performance monitoring node-----------1

3. Pedagogical

One of the purposes of the network is to provide a
learning and experimental tool for the students in such areas
as digital hardware design, performance evaluation, applica-
tions programming, computer networking, and operating systems
design.

What specific requirements do you feel are needed to
insure that these goals are met? (For instance, one such
suggested requirement is that DELNET provide the flexibility
for implementation of different communications protocols,
information formats, and network or subnetwork topologies).

Flexibility---------------------------4

Performance Monitoring----------------3

Testing a fiber optic link------------1

4. Distributed Processing Language

What language(s) would you like to see implemented
on all or most of the hosts if a distributed processing
capability is implemented?

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        Pascal-------7   (one specified UCSD Pascal)

        Ada---------6

        FORTRAN------5

        BASIC-------1
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Ada has powerful control structures for distributed processing-1

    5.   Other design-oriented requirements

       Are there any other design oriented requirements that
should be addressed?

      None----7

C. How would you rank the functional requirements for the
above areas?

Area	Not Applicable	Marginally Applicable	Applicable	Very Applicable	Essential
Throughput	1	1	3	2	0
Response Time	0	1	2	3	1
User Interface	0	0	1	3	3
Security	2	1	1	1	2
Availability	0	1	1	3	2
Flexibility	0	0	0	4	3
Performance Monitoring	0	1	0	4	2
Pedagogical	0	1	0	4	2
Distributed Processing Language	0	2	2	3	0

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Section III   Other Comments

What other comments or suggestions do you have concerning the projected uses and/or functional requirements of DELNET?

1. It would be nice to have a general purpose node for checking out student projects with network resources.

2. The network software must be interrupt-driven.

3. It would be nice to be able to interrogate the network to find a file that was sent.

4. The network should not be used for general software development.

5. The requirement to use all nodes is probably only applicable one percent of the time.

6. It should be easy to initialize the network with an arbitrary subset of the nodes available on the network.

7. The number of terminals and their locations should be addressed.

8. Top-down decomposition and structured analysis should be used in the design.

List of Users Who Were Interviewed

User's Name	Position on Faculty	Area of Interest
Capt Roie Black	Math Assistant Prof	Compiler Theory, Numerical Analysis
Dr. Thomas Hartrum	EE Assistant Prof	Databases, Performance Monitoring, Operating Systems
Capt Larry Kizer	EE Instructor	Digital Signal Processing
Dr. Gary Lamont	EE Professor	Computer Engineering/ Computer Science
Capt James Moore	EE Instructor	Computer Networking
Maj Alan Ross	EE Assistant Prof	Computer Architecture
Maj James Rutledge	EE Assistant Prof	Software Engineering
Capt Walter Seward	EE Assistant Prof	Computer Architecture, Computer Networking
Maj Michael Wirth	Math Instructor	AFITNET design

Appendix B

Digital Engineering Laboratory Floor Layout Diagram

This appendix contains a floor layout diagram of the Digital Engineering Laboratory at the Air Force Institute of Technology School of Engineering. The locations of all computers with semi-permanent locations are shown as well as the proposed locations of the Universal Network Interface Devices (UNIDs). Finally, the computer links that will be initially installed to the UNIDs are also shown.

Appendix C

Structured Specification

This appendix contains the structured specification of the software requirements for DELNET. First, the complete set of data flow diagrams (Figures 1-32 in the main body) is included. These are followed by the data dictionaries for the high-level protocol, the host-to-host protocol, the network protocol, and the link protocol.

Figure 1   DFD Components

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Figure 2 Context Diagram

Figure 3 System Diagram

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Figure 4 Transfer File (4.0) DFD

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Figure 5   Transmit File (4.4) DFD

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Figure 6   Control Session (5.0) DFD

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Figure 7   Help User (6.0) DFD

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Figure 8 Host-to-Host Context Diagram

Figure 9   X.25 Level 3 Context Diagram

Figure 10   X.25 Level 3 Overview DFD

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Figure 11 Execute Calling Host Protocol (1) DFD

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Figure 12   Execute Calling Node Protocol (2) FD

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Figure 13 Execute Calling Host Packet (2.1) DFD

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Figure 14   Execute Routed Called Node Packet (2.3) DFD

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Figure 15   Execute Called Node Protocol (4) DFD

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Figure 16 Execute Called Host Packet (4.1) DFD

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Figure 17   Execute Routed Calling Node Packet (4.3) DFD

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Figure 18 Execute Called Host Protocol (5) DFD

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Figure 19. Network Protocol Context Diagram

Figure 20   Network Protocol Overview DFD

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Figure 21 X.25 Level 2 (HDLC) Overview DFD

Figure 22. Process LLIC Protocol at Primary Node (1) IFD

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Figure 23 Extract Valid Packet (1.1) DFD

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Figure 24 Execute Secondary I-Frame Packet (1.3) DFD

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Figure 25   Execute S-Frame Response (1.4) IFD

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Figure 26   Execute U-Frame Response (1.5) DFD

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Figure 27   Window Primary Information Blocks (1.6) DFD

Figure 23. Execute HDLC Protocol at Secondary Node (3) DFD

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Figure 29. Execute Primary I-Frame Packet (3.3) DFD

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Figure 30. Execute S-Frame Command (3.4) DFD

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Figure 31. Execute U-Frame Command (3.5) DFD

Figure 32. Window Secondary Information Blocks (2.6) DFD

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DATA DICTIONARY
FOR HIGH-LEVEL PROTOCOLS

DATA ELEMENT NAME: ACTIVE-DEVICE-NAME
ALIASES: NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:

                      NAME OF A DEVICE THAT IS ATTACHED TO AN
                      ACTIVE HOST ON THE NETWORK.
NOTES: NOS LAYER

DATA ELEMENT NAME: ACTIVE-HOST-NAME
ALIASES: NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:

                      NAME OF A   HOST   THAT   IS   ACTIVE   ON   THE
                      NETWORK.
NOTES: NOS LAYER

DATA ELEMENT NAME: ERROR-MESSAGE-FT
ALIASES: NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:

                      ERROR   MESSAGE STATING WHY THE FILE CANNOT
                      BE PROPERLY TRANSFERRED
NOTES: NOS LAYER

DATAFLOW NAME: FILE
ALIASES: NONE
COMPOSITION:

                      FILE = FILE-NAME
                             + FILE-TYPE
                             + FILE-LENGTH
                             + {FILE-CHARACTER}
NOTES: APPLICATIONS LAYER

DATAFLOW NAME: FILE-BLOCK
ALIASES: NONE
COMPOSITION:

                      FILE-BLOCK = 1{FILE-CHARACTER}1024
NOTES: APPLICATIONS LAYER

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DATA ELEMENT NAME:     FILE-CHARACTER
ALIASES:               NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:
                       ANY ASCII OR EBCDIC CHARACTER OR 8  BINARY
                       DIGITS
NOTES:                 APPLICATIONS LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:     FILE-DEST-DEVICE-NAME
ALIASES:               NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:
                       NAME OF THE DEVICE TO WHICH THE FILE IS TO
                       BE   TRANSFERRED.    NAME MUST CORRESPOND TO
                       ONE OF THOSE IN THE LIST-OF-ACTIVE-HOSTS.
NOTES:                 NOS LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:     FILE-DEST-HOST-NAME
ALIASES:               NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:
                       NAME OF THE HOST TO WHICH THE FILE   IS   TO
                       BE   TRANSFERRED.    NAME MUST CORRESPOND TO
                       ONE OF THOSE IN THE LIST-OF-ACTIVE-HOSTS.
NOTES:                 NOS LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:     FILE-LENGTH
ALIASES:               NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:
                       A 10-BIT FIELD   THAT   SPECIFIES   THE   FILE
                       LENGTH   IN   FILE-BLOCKS   AND   THUS   ALLOWS
                       FILE-LENGTHS UP TO 1K BLOCKS OR 1 MBYTE
NOTES:                 APPLICATIONS LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:     FILE-NAME
ALIASES:               NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:
                       ANY CHARACTER STRING CHOSEN BY THE USER TO
                       IDENTIFY THE FILE
NOTES:                 NOS LAYER
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:    FILE-SOURCE-DEVICE-NAME
ALIASES:              NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:

                      NAME OF DEVICE THAT CONTAINS THE  FILE  TO
                      BE  TRANSFERRED.   NAME MUST CORRESPOND TO
                      ONE IN THE LIST-OF-ACTIVE-DEVICE-NAMES.
NOTES:                NOS LAYER




DATA ELEMENT NAME:    FILE-SOURCE-HOST-NAME
ALIASES:              NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:

                      NAME OF HOST THAT CONTAINS THE FILE TO  BE
                      TRANSFERRED.   NAME MUST CORRESPOND TO ONE
                      IN THE LIST-OF-ACTIVE-HOSTS.
NOTES:                NOS LAYER




DATA ELEMENT NAME:    FILE-TRANSFER-PROCEDURE
ALIASES:              NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:

                      A SHORT EXPLANATION  OF  HOW  TO  USE  THE
                      NETWORK FILE TRANSFER COMMAND
NOTES:                NOS LAYER




DATAFLOW NAME:        FILE-TRANSFER-PROCEDURE-REQ
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:

                      FILE-TRANSFER-PROCEDURE-REQ =
                                      GENERAL-INFO-REQ
                                      + ",FILE TRANSFER"
NOTES:                NOS LAYER, APPLICATIONS LAYER




DATAFLOW NAME:        FILE-TRANSFER-MESSAGE
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:

                      FILE-TRANSFER-MESSAGE = USER-ID +
                                      [FILE-TRANSFERRED-MESSAGE
                                      |ERROR-MESSAGE-FT]
                      FILE-TRANSFERRED-MESSAGE =
                                      [MODIFIED-FILE-NAME
                                      + FILE-DEST-HOST-NAME
                                      + FILE-DEST-DEVICE-NAME]
NOTES:                NOS LAYER
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:   FILE-TYPE
ALIASES:             NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:

                     A   3-BIT   FIELD   SHOWING   WHETHER   ASCII,
                     EBCDIC, BINARY, ETC
NOTES:               APPLICATIONS LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:       GENERAL-INFO-REQ
ALIASES:             NONE
COMPOSITION:

                     GENERAL-INFO-REQ = NETWORK-ID + "HELP"
NOTES:               NOS LAYER, APPLICATIONS LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:   GET-COMMAND
ALIASES:             NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:

                     THE CHARACTER STRING,  "NOS,GET FILE"
NOTES:               APPLICATIONS LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:       GET-FILE-COMMAND
ALIASES:             NONE
COMPOSITION:

                     GET-FILE-COMMAND = USER-ID
                                 + GET-COMMAND
                                 + FILE-NAME
                                 + FILE-SOURCE-HOST-NAME
                                 + FILE-SOURCE-DEVICE-NAME
                                 + FILE-DEST-HOST-NAME
                                 + FILE-DEST-DEVICE-NAME
NOTES:               APPLICATIONS LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:   GOODBYE
ALIASES:             NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS: "USER LOGGED OUT OF NETWORK"
NOTES:               NOS LAYER
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DATAFLOW NAME:       HELP-INFORMATION
ALIASES:             NONE
COMPOSITION:

                     HELP-INFORMATION =
                             (MENU-SELECTION
                             |FILE-TRANSFER-PROCEDURE
                             |LIST-OF-ACTIVE-DEVICE-NAMES
                             |LOGOUT-INFO]
NOTES:               NOS LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:       HOST-STRUCTURED-FILE
ALIASES:             NONE
COMPOSITION:

                     HOST-STRUCTURED-FILE = MODIFIED-FILE-NAME
                                          + FILE-TYPE
                                          + FILE-LENGTH
                                          + {FILE-CHARACTER}
NOTES:               APPLICATIONS LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:       LIST-OF-ACTIVE-DEVICE-NAMES
ALIASES:             NONE
COMPOSITION:

                     LIST-OF-ACTIVE-DEVICE-NAMES =
                             {ACTIVE-DEVICE-NAME}
NOTES:               NOS LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:       LIST-OF-ACTIVE-DEVICE-NAMES-REQ
ALIASES:             NONE
COMPOSITION:

                     LIST-OF-ACTIVE-DEVICE-NAMES-REQ =
                             GENERAL-INFO-REQ
                             + ",LIST ACTIVE DEVICES"
NOTES:               NOS LAYER, APPLICATIONS LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:       LIST-OF-ACTIVE-HOSTS
ALIASES:             NONE
COMPOSITION:

                     LIST-OF-ACTIVE-HOSTS = {ACTIVE-HOST-NAME}
NOTES:               NOS LAYER
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DATAFLOW NAME:        LOCAL-COMMAND
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:

                      LOCAL-COMMAND = [VALID-LOCAL-OS-INPUT
                                      |INVALID-INPUT]
NOTES:                NOS LAYER
                      THE USER IS "LOCAL" TO THE  HOST  THAT  HE
                      DESIGNATES WHEN HE SIGNS ONTO THE NETWORK,
                      NOT  NECESSARILY  THE  ONE  TO  WHICH  THE
                      TERMINAL IS CONNECTED.



DATA ELEMENT NAME:    LOCAL-HOST-NAME
ALIASES:              NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:

                      THE NAME OF THE HOST MACHINE TO WHICH  THE
                      USER WISHES TO BE "LOCAL"
NOTES:                NOS-LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:    LOCAL-RESPONSE
ALIASES:              NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:

                      LOCAL   OPERATING   SYSTEM'S   RESPONSE   TO A
                      LOCAL INPUT
NOTES:                NOS LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:        LOGON-COMMAND
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:

                      LOGON-COMMAND = NETWORK-ID
                                      + "LOGON"
                                      + (LOCAL-HOST-NAME)
NOTES:                NOS LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:        LOGON-MESSAGE
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:

                      LOGON-MESSAGE = NETWORK-INTRODUCTION
                                      + LIST-OF-ACTIVE-HOSTS
                                      + (LOCAL-HOST-NAME)
NOTES:                NOS LAYER
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DATAFLOW NAME:       LOGOUT-COMMAND
ALIASES:             NONE
COMPOSITION:

                     LOGOUT-COMMAND = NETWORK-ID + "LOGOUT"
NOTES:               NOS LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:       LOGOUT-INFO-REQ
ALIASES:             NONE
COMPOSITION:

                     LOGOUT-INFO-REQ = GENERAL-INFO-REQ
                                       + ",LOGOUT PROCEDURE"
NOTES:               NOS LAYER, APPLICATIONS LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:       LOGOUT-MESSAGE
ALIASES:             NONE
COMPOSITION:

                     LOGOUT-MESSAGE = GOODBYE
                                      + LIST-OF-FILE-TRANSFERS
                     LIST-OF-FILE-TRANSFERS =
                            {FILE-TRANSFERRED-MESSAGE}
NOTES:               NOS LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:       MENU-SELECTION
ALIASES:             NONE
COMPOSITION:

                     MENU-SELECTION = USER-ID
                                      + NETWORK-COMMAND-SYNTAX
                                      + {ACTIVE-HOST-NAME
                                      + {ACTIVE-DEVICE-NAME}}
NOTES:               NOS LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:   MODIFIED-FILE-NAME
ALIASES:             NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:

                     NAME GIVEN TO THE  TRANSFERRED  FILE.   IT
                     WILL   CORRESPOND    TO    FILE-NAME  UNLESS
                     FILE-NAME IS TOO LONG OR CONTAINS  ILLEGAL
                     CHARACTERS  FOR   THE HOST OPERATING SYSTEM
                     TO WHICH THE FILE WAS TRANSFERRED.
NOTES:               NOS LAYER, APPLICATIONS LAYER
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DATAFLOW NAME:        NETWORK-COMMAND
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:          NETWORK-COMMAND = NETWORK-ID
                                       + CHARACTER-STRING

NOTES:                NOS LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:    NETWORK-COMMAND-SYNTAX
ALIASES:              NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:

                      SUMMARY OF THE NETWORK COMMANDS  AVAILABLE
                      AND THEIR SYNTAXES
NOTES:                NOS LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:    NETWORK-ID
ALIASES:              NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:  NETWORK-ID = "NETWORK,"
NOTES:                NOS LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:    NETWORK-INTRODUCTION
ALIASES:              NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:

                      A  SHORT  PARAGRAPH  WELCOMING THE USER TO
                      THE NETWORK AND STATING HOW TO GET FURTHER
                      INFORMATION THROUGH THE GENERAL-INFO-REQ.
NOTES:                NOS LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:        NETWORK-RESPONSE
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:

                      NETWORK-RESPONSE = USER-ID
                         + [TRANSMITTED-FILE-TRANSFER-MESSAGE
                           |TRANSMITTED-LOGON-MESSAGE
                           |TRANSMITTED-LOGOUT-MESSAGE
                           |TRANSMITTED-HELP-INFORMATION]
NOTES:                NOS LAYER
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DATAFLOW NAME:        NETWORK-STRUCTURED-FILE
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:

                      NETWORK-STRUCTURED-FILE = FILE-NAME
                                              + FILE-TYPE
                                              + FILE-LENGTH
                                              + {FILE-BLOCK}
NOTES:                APPLICATIONS LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:    PORT-NUMBER
ALIASES:              NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:

                      IF THE HOST HAS MULTIPLE INPUT PORTS, THEN
                      THIS CORRESPONDS TO THE NUMBER OF THE PORT
                      THROUGH  WHICH  THE  USER  IS  MAKING  HIS
                      INPUTS  TO THE HOST.  IF THE HOST HAS ONLY
                      ONE  INPUT  PORT,  THEN   PORT-NUMBER   IS
                      ASSIGNED THE VALUE "1".
NOTES:                NOS LAYER, APPLICATIONS LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:        ROUTED-LOCAL-COMMAND
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:

                      ROUTED-LOCAL-COMMAND = LOCAL-COMMAND
                                           + USER-ID
NOTES:                NOS LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:        ROUTED-LOCAL-RESPONSE
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:

                      ROUTED-LOCAL-RESPONSE = LOCAL-RESPONSE
                                            + USER-ID
NOTES:                NOS LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:    STORE-COMMAND
ALIASES:              NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:

                      THE CHARACTER STRING, "NOS,STORE FILE"
NOTES:                APPLICATIONS LAYER
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DATAFLOW NAME:        STORE-FILE-COMMAND
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:

                      STORE-FILE-COMMAND = USER-ID
                                    + STORE-COMMAND
                                    + FILE-DEST-DEVICE-NAME
NOTES:                APPLICATIONS LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:    TRANSFER-COMMAND
ALIASES:              NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:

                      THE CHARACTER STRING, ",TRANSFER FILE"
NOTES:                NOS LAYER, APPLICATIONS LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:        TRANSMITTED-FILE-TRANSFER-COMMAND
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:

                      TRANSMITTED-FILE-TRANSFER-COMMAND =
                                    TRANSFER-COMMAND
                                     + FILE-TRANSFER-FIELDS
                      FILE-TRANSFER-FIELDS =
                                    FILE-NAME
                                    + FILE-SOURCE-HOST-NAME
                                    + FILE-SOURCE-DEVICE-NAME
                                    + FILE-DEST-HOST-NAME
                                    + FILE-DEST-DEVICE-NAME
NOTES:                NOS LAYER, APPLICATIONS LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:        TRANSMITTED-HELP-REQUEST
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:

                      TRANSMITTED-HELP-REQUEST = USER-ID
                                    + [GENERAL-INFO-REQ
                                      |SPECIFIC-INFO-REQ]
                      SPECIFIC-INFO-REQ =
                                    [FILE-TRANSFER-INFO-REQ
                                     |LOGOUT-INFO-REQ]
                      FILE-TRANSFER-INFO-REQ =
                              [FILE-TRANSFER-PROCEDURE-REQ
                               |LIST-OF-ACTIVE-DEVICE-NAMES-REQ]
NOTES:                NOS LAYER, APPLICATIONS LAYER
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DATAFLOW NAME:        TRANSMITTED-NETWORK-COMMAND
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:

                      TRANSMITTED-NETWORK-COMMAND = USER-ID
                          + [TRANSMITTED-FILE-TRANSFER-COMMAND
                            |TRANSMITTED-SESSION-CONTROL-COMMAND
                            |TRANSMITTED-HELP-REQUEST]
NOTES:                NOS LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:        TRANSMITTED-NETWORK-STRUCTURED-FILE
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:

                      TRANSMITTED-NETWORK-STRUCTURED-FILE =
                                  USER-ID
                                  + FILE-DEST-HOST-NAME
                                  + FILE-DEST-DEVICE-NAME
                                  + NETWORK-STRUCTURED-FILE
NOTES:                APPLICATIONS LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:        TRANSMITTED-SESSION-CONTROL-COMMAND
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:          TRANSMITTED-SESSION-CONTROL-COMMAND =
                                  USER-ID
                                  + [LOGON-COMMAND
                                    |LOGOUT-COMMAND]
NOTES:                NOS LAYER, APPLICATIONS LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:        USER-COMMAND
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:          USER-COMMAND = [LOCAL-COMMAND
                                    |NETWORK-COMMAND]
NOTES:                NOS LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:    USER-HOST-NAME
ALIASES:              NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:
                      NAME OF THE HOST THROUGH WHICH THE USER IS
                      MAKING  HIS  INPUTS  TO THE NETWORK.  NAME
                      MUST   CORRESPOND    TO     ONE    ON    THE
                      LIST-OF-ACTIVE-HOSTS.
NOTES:                NOS LAYER, APPLICATIONS LAYER
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DATAFLOW NAME:      USER-ID
ALIASES:            NONE
COMPOSITION:

                    USER-ID = USER-HOST-NAME + PORT-NUMBER
NOTES:              NOS LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:      USER-RESPONSE
ALIASES:            NONE
COMPOSITION:

                    USER-RESPONSE = [NETWORK-RESPONSE
                                    [LOCAL-RESPONSE]
NOTES:              NOS LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:  VALID-LOCAL-OS-INPUT
ALIASES:            NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:

                    ANY  VALID  INPUT FOR THE OPERATING SYSTEM
                    OF THE HOST THAT THE USER IS  SIGNED  ONTO
                    ON THE NETWORK.
NOTES:              NOS LAYER
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FILE DEFINITIONS

FILE OR DATABASE NAME: COMMAND-ROUTING-TABLE
ALIASES: NONE
COMPOSITION:

                        COMMAND-ROUTING-TABLE =
                                      {USER-ID
                                       + LOCAL-HOST-NAME}
ORGANIZATION: SEQUENTIAL BY USER-ID
NOTES: NOS LAYER

FILE OR DATABASE NAME: FILE-TRANSFER-LOG
ALIASES: NONE
COMPOSITION:

                        FILE-TRANSFER-LOG =
                                      {USER ID
                                       + FILE-TRANSFER-FIELDS}
ORGANIZATION: PILE
NOTES: NOS LAYER

FILE OR DATABASE NAME: NETWORK-CONFIGURATION
ALIASES: NONE
COMPOSITION:

                        NETWORK-CONFIGURATION =
                                      {ACTIVE-HOST-NAME
                                       + {ACTIVE-DEVICE-NAME}}
ORGANIZATION:
                        ALPHABETICALLY   KEYED   FIRST   ON
                        ACTIVE-HOST-NAME   THEN   ON
                        ACTIVE-DEVICE-NAME
NOTES: NOS LAYER

PROCESS SPECIFICATIONS

PROCESS NAME: DETERMINE COMMAND TYPE
PROCESS NUMBER: 1.0
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If USER-COMMAND contains NETWORK-ID
    then USER-COMMAND = NETWORK-COMMAND
    otherwise USER-COMAND = LOCAL-COMMAND

PROCESS NAME: SEND COMMAND TO HOST WITH NOS
PROCESS NUMBER: 2.0
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Send NETWORK-COMMAND to NOS-HOST using HOST-TO-HOST-PROTOCOL
    Set SOURCE-FIELD to USER-HOST-NAME
    Set DEST-FIELD to NOS-HOST-NAME
    Set INFO-FIELD to NETWORK-COMMAND

PROCESS NAME: DETERMINE NETWORK COMMAND TYPE
PROCESS NUMBER: 3.0
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If TRANSMITTED-NETWORK-COMMAND has the following
 COMMAND-FIELD,
    Case 1 TRANSFER-COMMAND:
        then TRANSMITTED-NETWORK-COMMAND =
                TRANSMITTED-FILE-TRANSFER-COMMAND
    Case 2 LOGON-COMMAND or LOGOUT-COMMAND:
        then TRANSMITTED-NETWORK-COMMAND =
                TRANSMITTED-SESSION-CONTROL-COMMAND
    Case 3 GENERAL-INFO-REQ:
        then TRANSMITTED-NETWORK-COMMAND =
                TRANSMITTED-HELP-REQUEST
    otherwise reject TRANSMITTED-NETWORK-COMMAND

PROCESS NAME: SEND GET-FILE-COMMAND TO FILE-SOURCE-HOST
PROCESS NUMBER: 4.1
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Send GET-FILE-COMMAND to FILE-SOURCE-HOST using
 HOST-TO-HOST-PROTOCOL
    Set SOURCE-FIELD to NOS-HOST
    Set DEST-FIELD to FILE-SOURCE-HOST
    Set INFO-FIELD to GET-FILE-COMMAND

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PROCESS NAME:           GET FILE FROM SOURCE-DEVICE
PROCESS NUMBER:         4.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Call FILE-FETCH-ROUTINE in the SOURCE-HOST-OS
Use FILE-NAME and FILE-SOURCE-DEVICE-NAME
 from GET-FILE-COMMAND



PROCESS NAME:           RESTRUCTURE FILE FOR NETWORK
PROCESS NUMBER:         4.3
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Copy FILE-TYPE into FILE-TYPE-FIELD
Convert FILE-LENGTH to FILE-LENGTH-IN-BYTES and copy into
 FILE-LENGTH-FIELD
Divide FILE into FILE-BLOCKS and fill PARTIAL-LAST-FILE-
 BLOCK with NULLS



PROCESS NAME:           TRANSMIT FILE TO DEST HOST
PROCESS NUMBER:         4.4
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Send NETWORK-STRUCTURED-FILE to FILE-DEST-HOST using
 HOST-TO-HOST-PROTOCOL
    While there are FILE-BLOCKS remaining do
      Set SOURCE-FIELD to FILE-SOURCE-HOST-NAME
      Set DEST-FIELD to FILE-DEST-HOST-NAME
      Set INFO-FIELD to FILE-BLOCK



PROCESS NAME:           RESTRUCTURE FILE FOR DEST HOST
PROCESS NUMBER:         4.5
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Set FILE-TYPE to FILE-TYPE-FIELD
Set FILE-LENGTH-IN-BYTES to FILE-LENGTH-IN-BYTES-FIELD
Convert FILE-LENGTH-IN-BYTES to FILE-LENGTH
Merge FILE-BLOCKS into HOST-STRUCTURED-FILE



PROCESS NAME:           STORE FILE ON DEST DEVICE
PROCESS NUMBER:         4.6
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Call FILE-STORE-ROUTINE in the DEST-HOST-OS
Use FILE-NAME and FILE-DEST-DEVICE-NAME from STORE-COMMAND
 and store HOST-STRUCTURED-FILE
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PROCESS NAME:          DETERMINE SESSION COMMAND TYPE
PROCESS NUMBER:        5.1
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If TRANSMITTED-SESSION-CONTROL-COMMAND contains "LOGON"
    then TRANSMITTED-SESSION-CONTROL-COMMAND is a LOGON-COMMAND
    otherwise TRANSMITTED-SESSION-CONTROL-COMMAND is a
    LOGOUT-COMMAND



PROCESS NAME:          LOG USER ON NETWORK
PROCESS NUMBER:        5.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If LOCAL-HOST-NAME is included in the LOGON-COMMAND
    then enter LOCAL-HOST-NAME into the COMMAND-ROUTING-TABLE
    using the USER-ID in the LOGON-COMMAND
    otherwise access NETWORK-CONFIGURATION-TABLE using
    USER-ID and set COMMAND-ROUTING-TABLE to USER-HOST-NAME
Access NETWORK-CONFIGURATION-TABLE and get LIST-OF-ACTIVE-
    HOSTS
Output LOGON-MESSAGE



PROCESS NAME:          LOG USER OFF NETWORK
PROCESS NUMBER:        5.3
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Reset LOCAL-HOST-NAME in COMMAND-ROUTING-TABLE to USER-HOST-NAME
Get LIST-OF-FILE-TRANSFER-MESSAGES from FILE-TRANSFER-LOG
Output LOGOUT-MESSAGE



PROCESS NAME:          DETERMINE HELP-INFORMATION REQUESTED
PROCESS NUMBER:        6.1
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If TRANSMITTED-HELP-REQUEST contains the HELP-FIELD
    Case 1  "FILE TRANSFER":
      Then TRANSMITTED-HELP-REQUEST is a FILE-TRANSFER-
        PROCEDURE-REQ
    Case 2  "LIST ACTIVE DEVICES":
      Then TRANSMITTED-HELP-REQUEST is a LIST-ACTIVE-
        DEVICE-NAMES-REQ
    Case 3  "LOGOUT PROCEDURE":
      Then TRANSMITTED-HELP-REQUEST is a LOGOUT-INFO-REQ
    Otherwise, TRANSMITTED-HELP-REQUEST is a GENERAL-
      INFO-REQ
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PROCESS NAME:          PROVIDE GENERAL NETWORK INTRODUCTION
PROCESS NUMBER:        6.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Output MENU-SELECTION and USER-ID


PROCESS NAME:          PROVIDE PROCEDURE FOR TRANSFERRING FILES
PROCESS NUMBER:        6.3
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Output FILE-TRANSFER-PROCEDURE and USER-ID


PROCESS NAME:          PROVIDE LIST-OF-ACTIVE-DEVICE-NAMES
PROCESS NUMBER:        6.4
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Access NETWORK-CONFIGURATION-TABLE
Output LIST-OF-ACTIVE-DEVICE-NAMES and USER-ID


PROCESS NAME:          PROVIDE PROCEDURE FOR LOGGING OFF NETWORK
PROCESS NUMBER:        6.5
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Output LOGOUT-INFO and USER-ID


PROCESS NAME:          SEND MESSAGE TO USER-HOST
PROCESS NUMBER:        7.0
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Send NETWORK-RESPONSE to USER-HOST using HOST-TO-HOST-
  PROTOCOL
    Set SOURCE-FIELD to FILE-DEST-HOST
    Set DEST-FIELD to USER-HOST-NAME
    Set INFO-FIELD to NETWORK-RESPONSE


PROCESS NAME:          ROUTE LOCAL COMMAND
PROCESS NUMBER:        8.0
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Find LOCAL-HOST-NAME for USER from COMMAND-ROUTING-TABLE
Use HOST-TO-HOST-PROTOCOL to send LOCAL-COMMAND to
  LOCAL-HOST
    Set SOURCE-FIELD to USER-HOST-NAME
    Set DEST-FIELD to LOCAL-HOST-NAME
    Set INFO-FIELD to LOCAL-COMMAND
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PROCESS NAME:          EXECUTE ROUTED-LOCAL-COMMAND
PROCESS NUMBER:        9.0
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Use LOCAL-OPERATING-SYSTEM to execute ROUTED-LOCAL-COMMAND



PROCESS NAME:          ROUTE LOCAL RESPONSE
PROCESS NUMBER:        10.0
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Send LOCAL-RESPONSE to USER-HOST using HOST-TO-HOST-
 PROTOCOL
   Set SOURCE-FIELD to LOCAL-HOST-NAME
   Set DEST-FIELD to USER-HOST-NAME
   Set INFO-FIELD to LOCAL-RESPONSE
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DATA DICTIONARY

FOR X.25 LEVEL 3 PROTOCOL

DATA ELEMENT NAME: CALL-CONNECTED-PACKET
ALIASES: NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS: OCTET 3 = (00001111)
NOTES: CALLING NODE AND HOST PROTOCOL LAYERS

DATAFLOW NAME: CALL-CONNECTION-PACKET
ALIASES: NONE
COMPOSITION: CALL-CONNECTION-PACKET =
                        [CALL-CONNECTED-PACKET | CALLING-
                         NODE-CLEAR-INDICATION-PACKET]
NOTES: CALLING NODE PROTOCOL LAYER

DATA ELEMENT NAME: CALLED-HOST-INTERRUPT-CONFIRMATION-
                          PACKET
ALIASES: NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS: OCTET 3 = (0 0 1 0 0 1 1 1)
NOTES: CALLED HOST AND NODE PROTOCOL LAYER

DATAFLOW NAME: CALLED-HOST-LEVEL-3-PACKET
ALIASES: CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLED-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET
COMPOSITION: SEE ALIAS
NOTES: SEE ALIAS

DATAFLOW NAME: CALLED-HOST-SUPERVISORY-PACKET
ALIASES: NONE
COMPOSITION: CALLED-HOST-SUPERVISORY-PACKET =
                        [HOST-RR | HOST-RNR | HOST-REJ]
NOTES: CALLED NODE PROTOCOL LAYER

DATAFLOW NAME: CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLED-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET
ALIASES: CALLED-HOST-LEVEL-3-PACKET
COMPOSITION: CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLED-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET=
                        [CALL-ACCEPTED-PACKET | WINDOWED-CALLED-
                         HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA-PACKET | CALLED-
                         HOST-INTERRUPT-PACKET | CALLED-HOST-CLEAR-
                         REQUEST | CALLED-HOST-RESET-REQUEST |
                         CALLED-HOST-RESTART-REQUEST | CALLED-HOST-
                         SUPERVISORY-PACKET]
NOTES: OVERVIEW LAYER

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DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-BUFFERED-
                          SEQUENCE
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-BUFFERED-
                        SEQUENCE = {CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                        DATA-PACKET}
NOTES:                  CALLING HOST PROTOCOL LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    ANY STRING OF BITS NEEDING TO BE TRANS-
                        MITTED FROM THE CALLED HOST TO THE
                        CALLING HOST
NOTES:                  OVERVIEW LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA-
                          PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA-
                        PACKET = [CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                        CATEGORY-1-PACKET | CALLED-HOST-TO-
                        CALLING-HOST-CATEGORY-2-PACKET]
NOTES:                  CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-INTERRUPT-
                          DATA
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    ANY DATA THAT MUST BE TRANSMITTED FROM
                        THE CALLED HOST TO THE CALLING HOST
                        WITHOUT USING THE LEVEL 3 FLOW CONTROL
                        THE DATA MUST NOT BE MORE THAN 8 BITS
                        IN LENGTH
NOTES:                  CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-PACKET =
                        [CALLING-NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET | CALL-
                         CONNECTED-PACKET | CALLING-NODE-
                         WINDOWED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                         DATA-PACKET]
NOTES:                  CALLING NODE PROTOCOL LAYER
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:     CALLED-NODE-CLEAR-CONFIRMATION-PACKET
ALIASES:               NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:   OCTET 3 = (0 0 0 1 0 1 1 1)
NOTES:                 CALLED NODE AND HOST PROTOCOL LAYERS


DATAFLOW NAME:         CALLED-NODE-CONFIRMATION-PACKET
ALIASES:               NONE
COMPOSITION:           CALLED-NODE-CONFIRMATION-PACKET =
                       [CALLED-NODE-INTERRUPT-CONFIRMATION-
                       PACKET | CALLED-NODE-CLEAR-
                       CONFIRMATION-PACKET | CALLED-NODE-
                       RESET-CONFIRMATION-PACKET | CALLED-
                       NODE-RESTART-CONFIRMATION-PACKET]
NOTES:                 CALLED NODE PROTOCOL LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:     CALLED-NODE-INTERRUPT-CONFIRMATION-
                       PACKET
ALIASES:               NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:   OCTET 3 = (0 0 1 0 0 1 1 1)
NOTES:                 CALLED NODE AND HOST PROTOCOL LAYERS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:     CALLED-NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET
ALIASES:               NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:   CONTAINS UP TO 8 BITS OF DATA FROM THE
                       CALLING HOST TO THE CALLED HOST THAT
                       DOES NOT HAVE TO BE TRANSMITTED USING
                       THE LEVEL 3 FLOW CONTROL
NOTES:                 CALLED NODE PROTOCOL LAYER


DATAFLOW NAME:         CALLED-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET
ALIASES:               CALLED-NODE-TO-CALLING-NODE-LEVEL-3-
                       PACKET
COMPOSITION:           SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                 SEE ALIAS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:     CALLED-NODE-RESET-CONFIRMATION-PACKET
ALIASES:               NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:   OCTET 3 = (0 0 0 1 1 1 1 1)
NOTES:                 CALLED HOST AND NODE PROTOCOL LAYERS
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:      CALLED-NODE-RESTART-CONFIRMATION-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    OCTET 3 = (1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1)
NOTES:                  CALLED NODE AND HOST PROTOCOL LAYERS


DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLED-NODE-SUPERVISORY-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            CALLED-NODE-SUPERVISORY-PACKET =
                        [NODE-RR | NODE-RNR | NODE-REJ] + P(R)
NOTES:                  CALLED NODE AND HOST PROTOCOLS


DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLED-NODE-TO-CALLED-HOST-LEVEL-3-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            CALLED-NODE-TO-CALLED-HOST-LEVEL-3-PACKET=
                        [NODE-CALL-MAINTENANCE-PACKET | CALLED-
                        NODE-SUPERVISORY-PACKET | TRANSMITTED-
                        CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-PACKET |
                        TRANSMITTED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-
                        NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET]
NOTES:                  OVERVIEW LAYER


DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLED-NODE-TO-CALLING-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET
ALIASES:                CALLED-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET
COMPOSITION:            CALLED-NODE-TO-CALLING-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET=
                        [CALLED-NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET | CALL-
                        ACCEPTED-PACKET | CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-
                        HOST-DATA-PACKET]
NOTES:                  OVERVIEW LAYER


DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLED-NODE-WINDOWED-CALLING-HOST-TO-
                        CALLED-HOST-DATA-PACKET
ALIASES:                TRANSMITTED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-
                        HOST-DATA-PACKET
COMPOSITION:            SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                  SEE ALIAS


DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLING-HOST-CONFIRMATION-PACKET
ALIASES:                CALLING-HOST-INTERRUPT-CONFIRMATION-
                        PACKET
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                  SEE ALIAS
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:      CALLING-HOST-INTERRUPT-CONFIRMATION-PACKET
ALIASES:                CALLING-HOST-CONFIRMATION-PACKET
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    OCTET 3 = (00100111)
NOTES:                  CALLING, CALLED HOST AND NODE PROTOCOL
                          LAYERS



DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLING-HOST-LEVEL-3-PACKET
ALIASES:                CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLING-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET
COMPOSITION:            CALLING-HOST-LEVEL-3-PACKET=
                        [HOST-CALL-SETUP-PACKET | WINDOWED-CALLING-
                          HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-PACKET | CALLING-
                          HOST-INTERRUPT-CONFIRMATION-PACKET]
NOTES:                  OVERVIEW LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLING-HOST-SUPERVISORY-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            CALLING-HOST-SUPERVISORY-PACKET =
                        [HOST-RR | HOST-RNR | HOST-REJ]
NOTES:                  CALLING NODE PROTOCOL LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-BUFFERED-
                          SEQUENCE
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-BUFFERED-
                        SEQUENCE = {CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-
                          HOST-DATA-PACKET}
NOTES:                  CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    ANY STRING OF BITS NEEDING TO BE TRANS-
                        MITTED FROM THE CALLING HOST TO THE CALLED
                        HOST
NOTES:                  OVERVIEW LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-PACKET =
                        [CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-CATEGORY-1-
                          PACKET | CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-
                          CATEGORY-2-PACKET]
NOTES:                  CALLING HOST PROTOCOL LAYER
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:      CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-INTERRUPT-DATA
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    ANY DATA THAT MUST BE TRANSMITTED
                        BETWEEN HOSTS WITHOUT USING THE FLOW
                        CONTROL MECHANISM.  DATA LENGTH MUST
                        BE LESS THAN OR EQUAL TO 8 BITS.
NOTES:                  CALLING HOST PROTOCOL LAYER


DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-PACKET =
                        [CALLED-NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET |
                         INCOMING-CALL-PACKET | CALLED-NODE-
                         WINDOWED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-
                         DATA-PACKET | CALLED-NODE-
                         SUPERVISORY-PACKET]
NOTES:                  CALLED NODE PROTOCOL LAYER


DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLING-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET
ALIASES:                CALLING-HOST-LEVEL-3-PACKET
COMPOSITION:            SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                  SEE ALIAS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      CALLING-NODE-CLEAR-CONFIRMATION-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    OCTET 3 = (0 0 0 1 0 1 1 1)
NOTES:                  CALLING NODE AND HOST PROTOCOL LAYERS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      CALLING-NODE-CLEAR-INDICATION-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    OCTET 3 = (00010011)
NOTES:                  CALLING NODE PROTOCOL LAYER


DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLING-NODE-CONFIRMATION-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            CALLING-NODE-CONFIRMATION-PACKET =
                        [CALLING-NODE-INTERRUPT-CONFIRMATION-
                         PACKET | CALLING-NODE-CLEAR-
                         CONFIRMATION-PACKET | CALLING-NODE-
                         RESET-CONFIRMATION-PACKET | CALLING-
                         NODE-RESTART-CONFIRMATION-PACKET]
NOTES:                  CALLING NODE PROTOCOL LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      CALLING-NODE-INTERRUPT-CONFIRMATION-
                        PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    OCTET 3 = (0 0 1 0 0 1 1 1)
NOTES:                  CALLING HOST AND NODE PROTOCOL LAYERS
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:      CALLING-NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    CONTAINS UP TO 8 BITS OF DATA FROM THE
                        CALLED HOST TO THE CALLING HOST THAT
                        DOES NOT HAVE TO BE TRANSMITTED USING
                        THE LEVEL 3 FLOW CONTROL
NOTES:                  CALLING NODE PROTOCOL LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLING-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET
ALIASES:                CALLING-NODE-TO-CALLED-NODE-LEVEL-3-
                          PACKET
COMPOSITION:            SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                  SEE ALIAS



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      CALLING-NODE-RESET-CONFIRMATION-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    OCTET 3 = (0 0 0 1 1 1 1 1)
NOTES:                  CALLING NODE AND HOST PROTOCOL LAYERS



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      CALLING-NODE-RESTART-CONFIRMATION-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    OCTET 3 = (1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1)
NOTES:                  CALLING HOST AND NODE PROTOCOL LAYERS



DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLING-NODE-SUPERVISORY-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            CALLING-NODE-SUPERVISORY-PACKET =
                        [NODE-RR | NODE-RNR | NODE-REJ] + P(R)
NOTES:                  CALLING HOST PROTOCOL LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLING-NODE-TO-CALLED-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET
ALIASES:                CALLING-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET
COMPOSITION:            CALLING-NODE-TO-CALLED-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET=
                        [CALLING-NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET | INCOMING-
                         CALL-PACKET | CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-
                         DATA-PACKET]
NOTES:                  OVERVIEW LAYER
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DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLING-NODE-TO-CALLED-NODE-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            CALLING-NODE-TO-CALLED-NODE-PACKET=
                        [CALLING-NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET |
                         INCOMING-CALL-PACKET | CALLING-HOST-
                         TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-PACKET]
NOTES:                  CALLING NODE PROTOCOL LAYER


DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLING-NODE-TO-CALLING-HOST-LEVEL-3-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            CALLING-NODE-TO-CALLING-HOST-LEVEL-3-PACKET
                        [CALLING-NODE-CONFIRMATION-PACKET | CALLED-
                         HOST-CALLING-HOST-PACKET | ERROR-RECOVERY-
                         PACKET]
NOTES:                  OVERVIEW LAYER


DATAFLOW NAME:          CALLING-NODE-WINDOWED-CALLED-HOST-TO-
                          CALLING-HOST-DATA-PACKET
ALIASES:                TRANSMITTED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-
                          HOST-DATA-PACKET
COMPOSITION:            SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                  SEE ALIAS


DATAFLOW NAME:          DATA
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            DATA=[CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA
                               |CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA]

NOTES:                  CONTEXT LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      ERROR-RECOVERY-PACKET
ALIASES:                RESTART-INDICATION-PACKET
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                  SEE ALIAS


DATAFLOW NAME:          HOST-CALL-MAINTENANCE-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            HOST-CALL-MAINTENANCE-PACKET =
                        [CALL-ACCEPTED-PACKET | RESET-REQUEST-
                         PACKET | RESTART-REQUEST-PACKET |
                         CLEAR-REQUEST-PACKET]
NOTES:                  CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYER
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DATAFLOW NAME:          HOST-CALL-SETUP-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            HOST-CALL-SETUP-PACKET = [CALL-REQUEST-
                        PACKET | RESET-REQUEST-PACKET | RESTART-
                        REQUEST-PACKET | CLEAR-REQUEST-PACKET]
NOTES:                  CALLING HOST PROTOCOL LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      HOST-REJ
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    OCTET 3 = (XXX01001)
NOTES:                  CALLING, CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYERS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      HOST-RNR
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    OCTET 3 = (XXX00101)
NOTES:                  CALLING, CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYERS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      HOST-RR
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    OCTET 3 = (XXX00001)
NOTES:                  CALLING, CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYERS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      INCOMING-CALL-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    OCTET 3 = (0 0 0 0 1 0 1 1)
NOTES:                  CALLING, CALLED NODE PROTOCOL LAYERS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      LAST-PACKET-BIT
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    BIT 5 OF OCTET 3 IS SET TO 0
NOTES:                  CALLING, CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYERS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      LOCAL-PROCEDURE-ERROR
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    AN ERROR CAN BE CAUSED BY AN INVALID
                        CALLING-HOST-LEVEL-3-PACKET OR AN
                        INVALID CALLED-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET
                        ALSO, ERRORS CAN OCCUR WHEN THE
                        PACKET RECEIVED IS ILLEGAL FOR THE
                        CURRENT STATE OF THE CALLING NODE
NOTES:                  CALLING NODE PRTOCOL LAYER
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:      MORE-DATA-BIT
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    BIT 5 OF OCTET 3 IS SET TO 1
NOTES:                  CALLING, CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYERS



DATAFLOW NAME:          NODE-CALL-MAINTENANCE-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            NODE-CALL-MAINTENANCE-PACKET =
                        [RELAYED-INCOMING-CALL-PACKET |
                         CALLED-NODE-CLEAR-INDICATION-PACKET|
                         CALLED-NODE-RESET-INDICATION-PACKET|
                         CALLED-NODE-RESTART-INDICATION-PACKET|
                         CALLED-NODE-CLEAR-CONFIRMATION-PACKET|
                         CALLED-NODE-RESET-CONFIRMATION-PACKET|
                         CALLED-NODE-RESTART-CONFIRMATION-
                         PACKET | CALLED-NODE-INTERRUPT-
                         CONFIRMATION-PACKET]
NOTES:                  CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          NODE-CALL-SETUP-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            NODE-CALL-SETUP-PACKET =
                        [CALL-CONNECTED-PACKET | NODE-CLEAR-
                         INDICATION-PACKET | CALLING-NODE-
                         CLEAR-CONFIRMATION-PACKET | CALLING-
                         NODE-RESET-CONFIRMATION-PACKET |
                         CALLING-NODE-RESTART-CONFIRMATION-
                         PACKET | CALLING-NODE-RESET-
                         INDICATION-PACKET | CALLING-NODE-
                         RESTART-INDICATION-PACKET]
NOTES:                  CALLING HOST PROTOCOL LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      NODE-INTERRUPT-IDENTIFIER
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    OCTET 3 = (00100011)
NOTES:                  CALLING, CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYERS



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      PROCEDURE ERROR
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    AN ERROR CAN BE CAUSED BY AN INVALID
                        CALLED-HOST-LEVEL-3-PACKET OR AN
                        INVALID CALLING-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET.
                        ALSO, ERRORS CAN OCCUR WHEN THE
                        PACKET RECEIVED IS ILLEGAL FOR THE
                        CURRENT STATE OF THE CALLED NODE.
NOTES:                  CALLED NODE PROTOCOL LAYER
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:      P(R)
ALIASES:                PACKET-RECEIVE-NUMBER
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    BITS 8,7,6 OF OCTET 3 IN DATA AND
                        SUPERVISORY PACKETS
NOTES:                  CALLING, CALLED NODE AND HOST PROTOCOLS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      P(S)
ALIASES:                PACKET-SEND-NUMBER
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    BITS 4,3,2 OF OCTET 3 IN DATA AND
                        SUPERVISORY PACKETS
NOTES:                  CALLING, CALLED NODE AND HOST PROTOCOLS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      QUEUED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                          DATA-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    THIS IS A CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                        DATA-PACKET THAT HAS BEEN PLACED IN
                        THE TRANSMISSION QUEUE TO BE SENT TO
                        THE CALLED NODE
NOTES:                  CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      QUEUED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-
                          PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    THIS IS A CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-
                        PACKET THAT HAS BEEN PLACED IN THE
                        TRANSMISSION QUEUE TO BE SENT TO THE
                        CALLING NODE
NOTES:                  CALLING HOST PROTOCOL LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      RECEIVED-CALL-ACCEPTED-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    OCTET 3 = (00001111)
NOTES:                  CALLING, CALLED NODE PROTOCOL LAYERS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      RECEIVED-CALL-REQUEST-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    OCTET 3 = (0 0 0 0 1 0 1 1)
NOTES:                  CALLING HOST AND NODE PROTOCOL LAYERS
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:      RECEIVED-CALLED-HOST-CLEAR-REQUEST
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    OCTET 3 = (0 0 0 1 0 0 1 1)
NOTES:                  CALLED NODE AND HOST PROTOCOL LAYERS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      RECEIVED-CALLED-HOST-INTERRUPT-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    ANY STRING OF UP TO 8 BITS THAT IS
                        TRANSMITTED FROM THE CALLED HOST TO
                        THE CALLING HOST WITHOUT USING LEVEL
                        3 FLOW CONTROL
NOTES:                  CALLING NODE PROTOCOL LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      RECEIVED-CALLED-HOST-RESET-REQUEST
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    OCTET 3 = (0 0 0 1 1 0 1 1)
NOTES:                  CALLED NODE AND HOST PROTOCOL LAYERS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      RECEIVED-CALLED-HOST-RESTART-REQUEST
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    OCTET 3 = (1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1)
NOTES:                  CALLED HOST AND NODE PROTOCOL LAYERS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      RECEIVED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                          DATA-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    UP TO 128 BYTES OF DATA FROM THE
                        CALLED HOST TO THE CALLING HOST
NOTES:                  CALLING NODE PROTOCOL LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      RECEIVED-CALLED-NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    OCTET 3 = (00100011)
                        INTERRUPT DATA IS ANY STRING OF UP TO
                        8 BITS THAT IS TRANSMITTED FROM THE
                        CALLED HOST TO THE CALLING HOST
NOTES:                  CALLING NODE PROTOCOL LAYER
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:       RECEIVED-CALLING-HOST-CLEAR-REQUEST-
                           PACKET
ALIASES:                 NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:     OCTET 3 = (0 0 0 1 0 0 1 1)
NOTES:                   CALLING HOST AND NODE LAYERS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:       RECEIVED-CALLING-HOST-INTERRUPT-PACKET
ALIASES:                 NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:     ANY STRING OF UP TO 8 BITS THAT IS
                         TRANSMITTED FROM THE CALLING HOST TO
                         THE CALLED HOST WITHOUT USING LEVEL
                         3 FLOW CONTROL
NOTES:                   CALLING NODE PROTOCOL LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:       RECEIVED-CALLING-HOST-RESET-REQUEST
ALIASES:                 NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:     OCTET 3 = (0 0 0 1 1 0 1 1)
NOTES:                   CALLING HOST AND NODE PROTOCOL LAYERS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:       RECEIVED-CALLING-HOST-RESTART-REQUEST-
                           PACKET
ALIASES:                 NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:     OCTET 3 = (1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1)
NOTES:                   CALLING HOST AND NODE PROTOCOL LAYERS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:       RECEIVED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-
                           DATA-PACKET
ALIASES:                 NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:     UP TO 128 BYTES OF DATA FROM THE
                         CALLING HOST TO THE CALLED HOST
NOTES:                   CALLED NODE PROTOCOL LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:       RECEIVED-CALLING-NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET
ALIASES:                 NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:     OCTET 3 = (0 0 1 0 0 0 1 1)
NOTES:                   CALLED NODE PROTOCOL LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:       RECEIVED-INCOMING-CALL-PACKET
ALIASES:                 NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:     OCTET 3 = (0 0 0 0 1 0 1 1)
NOTES:                   CALLED NODE PROTOCOL LAYER
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DATAFLOW NAME:           RECEIVED-WINDOWED-CALLED-HOST-TO-
                          CALLING-HOST-DATA-PACKET
ALIASES:                 NONE
COMPOSITION:             RECEIVED-WINDOWED-CALLED-HOST-TO-
                          CALLING-HOST-DATA-PACKET = P(R) + P(S)
                          + CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA
NOTES:                   CALLED NODE PROTOCOL LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:           RECEIVED-WINDOWED-CALLING-HOST-TO-
                          CALLED-HOST-DATA-PACKET
ALIASES:                 NONE
COMPOSITION:             RECEIVED-WINDOWED-CALLING-HOST-TO-
                          CALLED-HOST-DATA-PACKET =
                          P(R) + P(S) + CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-
                          HOST-DATA
NOTES:                   CALLING NODE PROTOCOL LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:       RELAYED-CALL-ACCEPTANCE-PACKET
ALIASES:                 NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:     OCTET 3 = (0 0 0 0 1 1 1 1)
NOTES:                   CALLED NODE PROTOCOL LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:       RELAYED-INCOMING-CALL-PACKET
ALIASES:                 NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:     OCTET 3 = (0 0 0 0 1 0 1 1)
NOTES:                   CALLED NODE AND HOST PROTOCOL LAYERS



DATA ELEMENT NAME:       RESTART-INDICATION-PACKET
ALIASES:                 ERROR-RECOVERY-PACKET
VALUES AND MEANINGS:     OCTET 3 = ( 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1)
NOTES:                   CALLING HOST AND NODE LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:           ROUTED-CALLED-NODE-PACKET
ALIASES:                 ROUTED-CALLED-NODE-TO-CALLING-NODE-
                          LEVEL-3-PACKET
COMPOSITION:             SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                   SEE ALIAS
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DATAFLOW NAME:          ROUTED-CALLED-NODE-TO-CALLING-NODE-LEVEL-
                          3-PACKET
ALIASES:                ROUTED-CALLED-NODE-PACKET
COMPOSITION:            ROUTED-CALLED-NODE-TO-CALLING-NODE-LEVEL-
                          3-PACKET = [RECEIVED-CALLED-NODE-
                        INTERRUPT-PACKET | RECEIVED-CALL-ACCEPTED-
                        PACKET | RECEIVED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-
                        HOST-DATA-PACKET]
NOTES:                  OVERVIEW LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          ROUTED-CALLING-NODE-PACKET
ALIASES:                ROUTED-CALLING-NODE-TO-CALLED-NODE-
                          LEVEL-3-PACKET
COMPOSITION:            SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                  SEE ALIAS



DATAFLOW NAME:          ROUTED-CALLING-NODE-TO-CALLED-NODE-LEVEL-
                          3-PACKET
ALIASES:                ROUTED-CALLING-NODE-PACKET
COMPOSITION:            ROUTED-CALLING-NODE-TO-CALLED-NODE-LEVEL-
                          3-PACKET = [RECEIVED-CALLING-NODE-LEVEL-
                        3-PACKET | RECEIVED-INCOMING-CALL-PACKET |
                        RECEIVED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-
                        PACKET]
NOTES:                  OVERVIEW LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          TRANSMITTED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                          CATEGORY-1-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            TRANSMITTED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                          CATEGORY-1-PACKET = LAST-PACKET-BIT +
                        CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA-PACKET
NOTES:                  CALLING HOST PROTOCOL LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          TRANSMITTED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                          CATEGORY-2-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            TRANSMITTED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                          CATEGORY-2-PACKET = MORE-DATA-BIT +
                        CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA-PACKET
NOTES:                  CALLING HOST PROTOCOL LAYER
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DATAFLOW NAME:          TRANSMITTED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                          COMPLETE-PACKET-SEQUENCE
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            TRANSMITTED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                          COMPLETE-PACKET-SEQUENCE = CALLED-HOST-TO-
                          CALLING-HOST-BUFFERED-SEQUENCE +
                          TRANSMITTED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                          CATEGORY-1-PACKET
NOTES:                  CALLING HOST PROTOCOL LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      TRANSMITTED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                          DATA
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    ANY STRING OF BITS THAT HAS BEEN TRANS-
                        MITTED FROM THE CALLED HOST TO THE
                        CALLING HOST
NOTES:                  OVERVIEW LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          TRANSMITTED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                          DATA-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            TRANSMITTED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                          DATA-PACKET = [TRANSMITTED-CALLED-HOST-TO-
                          CALLING-HOST-CATEGORY-1-PACKET |
                          TRANSMITTED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                          CATEGORY-2-PACKET]
NOTES:                  CALLING HOST PROTOCOL LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      TRANSMITTED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                          INTERRUPT-DATA
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    ANY STRING OF 8 BITS THAT HAS BEEN
                        TRANSMITTED FROM THE CALLED HOST TO
                        THE CALLING HOST WITHOUT USING THE
                        LEVEL 3 FLOW CONTROL MECHANISM
NOTES:                  CALLING HOST PROTOCOL LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          TRANSMITTED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                          NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            TRANSMITTED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                          NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET = NODE-INTERRUPT-
                          IDENTIFIER + TRANSMITTED-CALLED-HOST-TO-
                          CALLING-HOST-INTERRUPT-DATA
NOTES:                  CALLING HOST PROTOCOL LAYER
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DATAFLOW NAME:          TRANSMITTED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-
                        HOST-CATEGORY-1-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            TRANSMITTED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-
                        HOST-CATEGORY-1-PACKET = LAST-PACKET-
                        BIT + CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-
                        DATA-PACKET
NOTES:                  CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          TRANSMITTED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-
                        HOST-CATEGORY-2-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            TRANSMITTED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-
                        HOST-CATEGORY-2-PACKET = MORE-DATA-BIT
                        + CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-
                        PACKET
NOTES:                  CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          TRANSMITTED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-
                        HOST-COMPLETE-PACKET-SEQUENCE
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            TRANSMITTED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-
                        HOST-COMPLETE-PACKET-SEQUENCE =
                        CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-BUFFERED-
                        SEQUENCE + TRANSMITTED-CALLING-HOST-
                        TO-CALLED-HOST-CATEGORY-1-PACKET
NOTES:                  CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      TRANSMITTED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-
                        DATA
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    ANY STRING OF BITS THAT HAS BEEN TRANS-
                        MITTED FROM THE CALLING HOST TO THE
                        CALLED HOST
NOTES:                  OVERVIEW LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          TRANSMITTED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-
                        HOST-DATA-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            TRANSMITTED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-
                        HOST-DATA-PACKET = [TRANSMITTED-
                        CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-CATEGORY-
                        1-PACKET | TRANSMITTED-CALLING-HOST-
                        TO-CALLED-HOST-CATEGORY-2-PACKET]
NOTES:                  CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYER
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:      TRANSMITTED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-
                        HOST-INTERRUPT-DATA
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    ANY STRING OF 8 BITS THAT HAS BEEN
                        TRANSMITTED FROM THE CALLING HOST
                        TO THE CALLED HOST WITHOUT USING
                        THE LEVEL 3 FLOW CONTROL
NOTES:                  CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          TRANSMITTED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-
                        HOST-NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            TRANSMITTED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-
                        HOST-NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET = NODE-
                        INTERRUPT-IDENTIFIER + TRANSMITTED-
                        CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-INTERRUPT-
                        DATA
NOTES:                  CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          TRANSMITTED-DATA
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            TRANSMITTED-DATA=
                        [TRANSMITTED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-
                        DATA | TRANSMITTED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-
                        HOST-DATA]
NOTES:                  CONTEXT LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          WINDOWED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                        DATA-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            WINDOWED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                        DATA-PACKET = [CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-
                        HOST-DATA-PACKET + PACKET-SEND-NUMBER
                        | HOST-RR | HOST-RNR | HOST-REJ] +
                        PACKET-RECEIVE-NUMBER
NOTES:                  CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          WINDOWED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-
                        PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            WINDOWED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-
                        PACKET = [CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-
                        PACKET + PACKET-SEND-NUMBER | HOST-RR |
                        HOST-RNR | HOST-REJ] + PACKET-RECEIVE-
                        NUMBER
NOTES:                  CALLING HOST PROTOCOL LAYER
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FILE DEFINITIONS

FILE OR DATABASE NAME: CALLED-HOST-P(R)
ALIASES: NONE
COMPOSITION: CALLED-HOST-P(R) = ARRAY OF
                        [0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7]
                        WITH 1 VALUE FOR EACH LOGICAL CHANNEL
ORGANIZATION: ARRAY
NOTES: CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYER

FILE OR DATABASE NAME: CALLED-HOST-P(S)
ALIASES: NONE
COMPOSITION: CALLED-HOST-P(S) = ARRAY OF
                        [0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7]
                        WITH 1 VALUE FOR EACH LOGICAL CHANNEL
ORGANIZATION: ARRAY
NOTES: CALLED HOST PROTOCOL LAYER

FILE OR DATABASE NAME: CALLED-NODE-P(R)
ALIASES: NONE
COMPOSITION: CALLED-NODE-P(R) = ARRAY OF
                        [0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7]
                        WITH 1 VALUE FOR EACH LOGICAL CHANNEL
ORGANIZATION: ARRAY
NOTES: CALLED NODE PROTOCOL LAYER

FILE OR DATABASE NAME: CALLED-NODE-P(S)
ALIASES: NONE
COMPOSITION: CALLED-NODE-P(S) = ARRAY OF
                        [0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7]
                        WITH 1 VALUE FOR EACH LOGICAL CHANNEL
ORGANIZATION: ARRAY
NOTES: CALLED NODE PROTOCOL LAYER

FILE OR DATABASE NAME: CALLING-HOST-P(R)
ALIASES: NONE
COMPOSITION: CALLING-HOST-P(R) = ARRAY OF
                        [0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7]
                        WITH 1 VALUE FOR EACH LOGICAL CHANNEL
ORGANIZATION: ARRAY
NOTES: CALLING HOST PROTOCOL LAYER

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FILE OR DATABASE NAME: CALLING-HOST-P(S)
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            CALLING-HOST-P(S)  = ARRAY OF
                        [0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7]
                        WITH 1 VALUE FOR EACH LOGICAL CHANNEL
ORGANIZATION:           ARRAY
NOTES:                  CALLING HOST PROTOCOL LAYER




FILE OR DATABASE NAME: CALLING-NODE-P(R)
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            CALLING-NODE-P(R)  = ARRAY OF
                        [0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7]
                        WITH 1 VALUE FOR EACH LOGICAL CHANNEL
ORGANIZATION:           ARRAY
NOTES:                  CALLING NODE PROTOCOL LAYER




FILE OR DATABASE NAME: CALLING-NODE-P(S)
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            CALLING-NODE-P(S)  = ARRAY OF
                        [0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7]
                        WITH 1 VALUE FOR EACH LOGICAL CHANNEL
ORGANIZATION:           ARRAY
NOTES:                  CALLING NODE PROTOCOL LAYER
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PROCESS SPECIFICATIONS

PROCESS NAME: DIVIDE DATA INTO PACKETS
PROCESS NUMBER: 1.1
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
For each 128 bytes
   Make DATA-PACKET
   If more bytes remain then use MORE-DATA-BIT
   Else use LAST-PACKET-BIT

PROCESS NAME: PLACE CHANNNEL IN DATA TRANSFER STATE
PROCESS NUMBER: 1.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Execute NODE-CALL-SETUP-PACKET by making state transition
   specified by the table below:

Present State	Next State			
	Call-Cnc	Clr-I	Reset-I	Restart-I
Rdy	Error	Error	Error	P-Restart
Dat-Tr				
a) P-Reset	Error	P-Clr	FC-Rdy	P-Restart
b) FC-Rdy	Error	P-Clr	P-Reset	P-Restart
P-Clr	P-Clr	Rdy	P-Clr	P-Restart
P-Restart	P-Restart	P-Restart	P-Restart	Rdy
Call-Set	FC-Rdy	Rdy	Error	P-Restart

Present State	Next State		
	Reset-C	Restart-C	Clr-C
Rdy	Error	Error	Error
Dat-Tr			
a) P-Reset	FC-Rdy	Error	Error
b) FC-Rdy	Error	Error	Error
P-Clr	Error	Error	Rdy
P-Restart	Error	Rdy	Error
Call-Set	Error	Error	Error

Where
   Call-Cnc = Call-Connected-Packet
   Clr-I = Clear-Indication-Packet
   Reset-I = Reset-Indication-Packet
   Restart-I = Restart-Indication-Packet
   Reset-C = Reset-Confirmation-Packet
   Clr-C = Clear-Confirmation-Packet

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     Rdy = Ready State
     Dat-Tr = Data Transfer State
     P-Reset = Pending Reset State
     FC-Rdy = Flow Control Ready State
     P-Clr = Pending Clear State
     P-Restart = Pending Restart State
     Call-Set = Call Setup State

Case state of

   Ready:   If CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-PACKET
              available then
                Set up call by sending CALL-REQUEST-PACKET and
                  entering Call Setup State
   Pending
    Reset:  If RESET-REQUEST-PACKET has not been sent or if
              max-time-for-response has elapsed then
              send RESET-REQUEST-PACKET and restart timer
   Flow
   Control
    Ready:  Queue CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-PACKET for
              channel
   Pending
    Clear:  If CLEAR-REQUEST-PACKET has not been sent or if
              max-time-for-response has elapsed then
              send CLEAR-REQUEST-PACKET and restart timer
   Pending
   Restart: If RESTART-REQUEST-PACKET has not been sent or if
              max-time-for-response has elapsed then
              send RESTART-REQUEST-PACKET and restart timer
   Call
   Setup:   If max-time-for-response has elapsed then send
              CALL-REQUEST-PACKET and restart timer

   Error:   Send RESTART-REQUEST-PACKET and enter Pending
              Restart State



PROCESS NAME:            WINDOW CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-
                         DATA-PACKET
PROCESS NUMBER:      1.3
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Case of CALLING-NODE-SUPERVISORY-PACKET
  NODE-RR-PACKET:  Calling Node State = Ready
                   P(R) = P(R) of NODE-RR-PACKET
  NODE-RNR-PACKET: Calling Node State = Not Ready
                   P(R) = P(R) of NODE-RNR-PACKET
  NODE-REJ-PACKET: Calling Node State = Ready
                   P(R) = P(R) of NODE-REJ-PACKET
While P(S)<P(R) then Send a CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-
   DATA-PACKET from the queue and increment P(S) modulo 8
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PROCESS NAME: SEND PACKET TO CALLING NODE
PROCESS NUMBER: 1.4
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Place Packet in Shared Memory Priority Queue for CALLING NODE
    Priority 1:   CALLING-HOST-INTERRUPT-CONFIRMATION-PACKET
    Priority 2:   HOST-CALL-SETUP-PACKET
    Priority 3:   WINDOWED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-
               PACKET
(Priority 1 is highest)

PROCESS NAME: DETERMINE CALLING-NODE-TO-CALLING-
                  HOST-PACKET TYPE
PROCESS NUMBER: 1.5
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If Octet 3 = (00001011) or (00001111) or (00010011) or
 (00010111) then CALLING-NODE-TO-CALLING-HOST-PACKET is a
 NODE-CALL-SETUP-PACKET
Else if Octet 3 = (XXX00001) or (XXX00101) or (XXX01001) or
 (00011011) or (00011111) then CALLING-NODE-TO-CALLING-HOST-
 PACKET is a CALLING-NODE-SUPERVISORY-PACKET
Else if Octet 3 = (XXXXXXX0) then CALLING-NODE-TO-CALLING-
 HOST-PACKET is a CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA-PACKET
Else if Octet 3 = (00100011) then CALLING-NODE-TO-CALLING-
 HOST-PACKET is a CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-NODE-
 INTERRUPT-PACKET

PROCESS NAME: DETERMINE DATA PACKET CATEGORY AND
                  EXTRACT FLOW CONTROL
PROCESS NUMBER: 1.6
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
P(R) = Bits 8,7,6 of Octet 3 of CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
 DATA-PACKET
P(S) = Bits 4,3,2 of Octet 3 of CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
 DATA-PACKET
If Bit 5 of Octet 3 of CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA-
 PACKET = 0 then CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA-PACKET is
 a CATEGORY-1-PACKET
Else CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA-PACKET is a CATEGORY-
 2-PACKET

PROCESS NAME: BUFFER PACKET SEQUENCE
PROCESS NUMBER: 1.7
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Extract CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST Data Field and
 append to end of Data Fields already buffered

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PROCESS NAME:          ASSEMBLE PACKET SEQUENCE
PROCESS NUMBER:        1.8
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
When a CATEGORY-1-PACKET is received
 Append Data Field to end of BUFFERED-SEQUENCE



PROCESS NAME:          CONFIRM RECEIPT OF INTERRUPT PACKET
PROCESS NUMBER:        1.9
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Send HOST-INTERRUPT-CONFIRMATION-PACKET
Extract INTERRUPT-USER-DATA from CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-
 HOST-NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET which is contained in Octet 4



PROCESS NAME:          SEND DATA TO CALLING HOST
PROCESS NUMBER:        1.10
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Place CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-INTERRUPT-DATA and
 CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-COMPLETE-PACKET-SEQUENCE in
 priority queue for transmission to CALLING HOST by
 VIRTUAL TERMINAL PROTOCOL
Priority 1 (highest)   INTERRUPT-DATA
Priority 2             COMPLETE-PACKET-SEQUENCE



PROCESS NAME:          DETERMINE CALLING-HOST-PACKET TYPE
PROCESS NUMBER:        2.1.1
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Case Octet 3 of
(00001011):    RECEIVED-CALL-REQUEST-PACKET
(XXXXXXX0):    RECEIVED-WINDOWED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-
                 DATA-PACKET
(00100011):    RECEIVED-CALLING-HOST-INTERRUPT-PACKET
(00010011):    RECEIVED-CALLING-HOST-CLEAR-REQUEST
(00011011):    RECEIVED-CALLING-HOST-RESET-REQUEST
(11111011):    RECEIVED-CALLING-HOST-RESTART-REQUEST
(00010111) or
(00100111) or
(00011111) or
(11111111):    CALLING-HOST-CONFIRMATION-PACKET
(XXX00001) or
(XXX00101) or
(XXX01001):    CALLING-HOST-SUPERVISORY-PACKET
otherwise:     INVALID-PACKET-TYPE
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PROCESS NAME:              NOTIFY CALLED NODE OF INCOMING CALL
PROCESS NUMBER:            2.1.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Set State of CALLING NODE to Call Setup State
Send CALL-REQUEST-PACKET as INCOMING-CALL-PACKET to
 CALLED NODE



PROCESS NAME:              UPDATE CALLING NODE WINDOWING VARIABLES
PROCESS NUMBER:            2.1.3
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
P(R) = Bits 8,7,6 of Octet 3 of RECEIVED-WINDOWED-CALLING-
        HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-PACKET
P(S) = Bits 4,3,2 of Octet 3 of RECEIVED-WINDOWED-CALLING-
        HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-PACKET



PROCESS NAME:              CONFIRM RECEIPT OF CALLING-HOST-
                             INTERRUPT
PROCESS NUMBER:            2.1.4
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Send CALLING-NODE-INTERRUPT-CONFIRMATION-PACKET to CALLING-
 HOST upon receipt of a RECEIVED-CALLINC-HOST-INTERRUPT-
 PACKET



PROCESS NAME:              CONFIRM CALLING HOST CLEAR REQUEST
PROCESS NUMBER:            2.1.5
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Send any remaining CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-PACKETs
 to CALLED-NODE
Clear virtual call and set CALLING NODE state to Ready State
Send CALLING-NODE-CLEAR-CONFIRMATION-PACKET to CALLING-HOST



PROCESS NAME:              CONFIRM CALLING HOST RESET REQUEST
PROCESS NUMBER:            2.1.6
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Reset P(R) and P(S) to zero for the channel specified in the
  RESET-REQUEST-PACKET
Set CALLING-NODE state to Flow Control Ready state
Send CALLING-NODE-RESET-CONFIRMATION-PACKET to CALLING-HOST
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PROCESS NAME: CONFIRM CALLING HOST RESTART REQUEST
PROCESS NUMBER: 2.1.7
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Reset all P(S) and P(R) for the CALLING-NODE
Set the state of virtual circuits to Flow Control Ready
Set the state of virtual channels to Ready
Send CALLING-NODE-RESTART-CONFIRMATION-PACKET to CALLING-HOST

PROCESS NAME: SEND PACKET ONTO NETWORK
PROCESS NUMBER: 2.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Place PACKET in queue for transmission by the
 Level 2 Protocol and the Routing Algorithm

PROCESS NAME: DETERMINE CALLED-NODE-PACKET TYPE
PROCESS NUMBER: 2.3.1
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Case Octet 3 of
(00100011):   RECEIVED-CALLED-NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET
(00001111):   RECEIVED-CALL-ACCEPTED-PACKET
(XXXXXXX0):   RECEIVED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA-PACKET
otherwise: INVALID-PACKET TYPE

PROCESS NAME: INTERRUPT CALLING NODE TO CALLING HOST
                          DATA FLOW
PROCESS NUMBER: 2.3.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Transfer CALLED-HOST-INTERRUPT-DATA from RECEIVED-CALLED-
 NODE-PACKET to CALLING-NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET

PROCESS NAME: NOTIFY CALLING HOST OF CALL CONNECTION
PROCESS NUMBER: 2.3.3
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If in Call Setup state and CALL-ACCEPTED-PACKET received
 from CALLED NODE then send CALL-CONNECTED-PACKET to CALLING
 NODE
If not in Call Setup state and CALL-ACCEPTED-PACKET received
 then discard packet
If in Call Setup state and no CALL-ACCEPTED-PACKET is
 received prior to expiration of max-time-for-call-setup-
 timer then send CALLING-NODE-CLEAR-INDICATION-PACKET to
 CALLING HOST

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PROCESS NAME:              WINDOW CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                           DATA-PACKETS
PROCESS NUMBER:            2.3.4
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Case CALLING-HOST-SUPERVISORY-PACKET of

  HOST-RR:  Set CALLING NODE state to Ready
  HOST-RNR: Set CALLING NODE state to Not Ready
  HOST-REJ: Set CALLING NODE state to Ready

Set P(R) = Bits 8,7,6 of Octet 3 of CALLING-HOST-SUPERVISORY-
  PACKET
While there are RECEIVED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA-
  PACKETs available for transmission to the CALLING HOST
  and while P(S)<P(R) send CALLING-NODE-WINDOWED-CALLED-HOST-
  TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA-PACKETs to CALLING HOST
If no DATA-PACKETS available for transmission for max-time-
  between-updates then send CALLING-NODE-SUPERVISORY-PACKET
  to CALLING HOST




PROCESS NAME:              SEND PACKET TO CALLING HOST
PROCESS NUMBER:            2.4
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Place Packet in Shared Memory Priority Queue for CALLING-HOST
      Priority 1:   RESTART-INDICATION-PACKET
      Priority 2:   CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-NODE-INTERRUPT-
                      PACKET
      Priority 3:   CALLING-NODE-CONFIRMATION-PACKETS
      Priority 4:   CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA-PACKETS
      Priority 5:   CALLING-NODE-SUPERVISORY-PACKETS
(Priority 1 is the highest)




PROCESS NAME:              RECOVER FROM PROCEDURE ERROR
PROCESS NUMBER:            2.5
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Upon detection of a LOCAL-PROCEDURE-ERROR send an
  ERROR-RECOVERY-PACKET to the CALLING HOST
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PROCESS NAME:           DETERMINE CALLED-HOST-PACKET TYPE
PROCESS NUMBER:         4.1.1
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Case Octet 3 of
(00001111):   RECEIVED-CALL-ACCEPTED-PACKET
(XXXXXXX0):   RECEIVED-WINDOWED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                 DATA-PACKET
(00100011):   RECEIVED-CALLED-HOST-INTERRUPT-PACKET
(00010011):   RECEIVED-CALLED-HOST-CLEAR-REQUEST
(00011011):   RECEIVED-CALLED-HOST-RESET-REQUEST
(11111011):   RECEIVED-CALLED-HOST-RESTART-REQUEST
(00010111) or
(00100111) or
(00011111) or
(11111111):   CALLED-HOST-CONFIRMATION-PACKET
(XXX00001) or
(XXX00101) or
(XXX01001):   CALLED-HOST-SUPERVISORY-PACKET
otherwise:    INVALID-PACKET-TYPE
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PROCESS NAME:           RELAY CALL ACCEPTANCE TO CALLING NODE
PROCESS NUMBER:         4.1.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Set state of CALLED NODE to Flow Control Ready state
Send RELAYED-CALL-ACCEPTANCE-PACKET to CALLING NODE
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PROCESS NAME:           UPDATE CALLED NODE WINDOWING VARIABLES
PROCESS NUMBER:         4.1.3
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
P(R) = Bits 8,7,6 of Octet 3 of RECEIVED-WINDOWED-CALLED-
          HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA-PACKET
P(S) = Bits 4,3,2 of Octet 3 of RECEIVED-WINDOWED-CALLED-
          HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA-PACKET
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PROCESS NAME:           CONFIRM RECEIPT OF CALLED-HOST-
                          INTERRUPT
PROCESS NUMBER:         4.1.4
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Send CALLED-NODE-INTERRUPT-CONFIRMATION-PACKET to CALLED-
 HOST upon receipt of a RECEIVED-CALLED-HOST-INTERRUPT-
 PACKET
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PROCESS NAME: CONFIRM CALLED HOST CLEAR REQUEST
PROCESS NUMBER: 4.1.5
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Send any remaining CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA-PACKETs
 to CALLING NODE
Clear virtual call and set CALLED NODE state to Ready state
Send CALLED-NODE-CLEAR-CONFIRMATION-PACKET to CALLING-HOST

PROCESS NAME: CONFIRM CALLING HOST RESET REQUEST
PROCESS NUMBER: 4.1.6
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Reset P(R) and P(S) for the CALLED NODE
Set CALLED NODE state to Flow Control Ready state
Send CALLED-NODE-RESET-CONFIRMATION-PACKET to CALLED HOST

PROCESS NAME: CONFIRM CALLED HOST RESTART REQUEST
PROCESS NUMBER: 4.1.7
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Reset all P(R) and P(S) for the CALLED NODE
Set the state of the virtual circuits to Flow Control Ready
Set the state of the virtual channels to Ready
Send CALLED-NODE-RESTART-CONFIRMATION-PACKET to CALLED HOST

PROCESS NAME: SEND PACKET ONTO NETWORK
PROCESS NUMBER: 4.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION: SEE PROCESS 2.2

PROCESS NAME: DETERMINE CALLING NODE PACKET TYPE
PROCESS NUMBER: 4.3.1
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Case Octet 3 of
(00100011):   RECEIVED-CALLING-NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET
(00001011):   RECEIVED-INCOMING-CALL-PACKET
(XXXXXXX0):   RECEIVED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-PACKET
otherwise: INVALID-PACKET TYPE

PROCESS NAME: INTERRUPT CALLED NODE TO CALLED HOST
                       DATA FLOW
PROCESS NUMBER: 4.3.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Transfer CALLING-HOST-INTERRUPT-DATA from RECEIVED-CALLING-
 NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET to CALLED-NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET

PROCESS NAME: NOTIFY CALLED HOST OF INCOMING CALL
PROCESS NUMBER: 4.3.3
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If in Ready state then relay RECEIVED-INCOMING-CALL-PACKET
 to CALLING HOST and set CALLED NODE state to Call Setup
 state
Else discard packet

PROCESS NAME: WINDOW CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-
                        DATA-PACKETS
PROCESS NUMBER: 4.3.4
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Case CALLED-HOST-SUPERVISORY-PACKET of

   HOST-RR,HOST-REJ: Set CALLED NODE state to Ready
          HOST-RNR: Set CALLED NODE state to Not Ready

Set P(R) = Bits 8,7,6 of Octet 3 of CALLED-HOST-SUPERVISORY-
 PACKET
While there are RECEIVED-CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-
 PACKETS available for transmission to the CALLED HOST and
 while P(S) < P(R) send CALLED-NODE-WINDOWED-CALLING-HOST-
 TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-PACKETs to CALLED HOST
If no DATA-PACKETS available for transmission for max-time-
 between-updates then send CALLED-NODE-SUPERVISORY-PACKET
 to CALLED HOST

PROCESS NAME: SEND PACKET TO CALLED HOST
PROCESS NUMBER: 4.4
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Place Packet in Shared Memory Priority Queue for CALLED-HOST
     Priority 1:   RESTART-INDICATION-PACKET
     Priority 2:   CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-NODE-INTERRUPT-
                    PACKET
     Priority 3:   CALLED-NODE-CONFIRMATION-PACKETS
     Priority 4:   CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-PACKETS
     Priority 5:   CALLED-NODE-SUPERVISORY-PACKETS
(Priority 1 is the highest)

PROCESS NAME: RECOVER FROM PROCEDURE ERROR
PROCESS NUMBER: 4.5
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Upon detection of a PROCEDURE-ERROR send an
ERROR-RECOVERY-PACKET to the CALLED-HOST

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PROCESS NAME:          DIVIDE DATA INTO PACKETS
PROCESS NUMBER:        5.1
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:   SEE PROCESS 1.1
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PROCESS NAME:          KEEP CHANNEL IN DATA TRANSFER STATE
PROCESS NUMBER:        5.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
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Execute NODE-CALL-MAINTENANCE-PACKET by making the state
transition specified by the table below:

Present State		Next State		
	Inc-Call	Clr-I	Reset-I	Restart-I
Rdy	FC-Rdy	Error	Error	P-Restart
Dat-Tr				
a) P-Reset	P-Reset	P-Clr	FC-Rdy	P-Restart
b) FC-Rdy	FC-Rdy	P-Clr	P-Reset	P-Restart
P-Clr	P-Clr	Rdy	P-Clr	P-Restart
P-Restart	P-Restart	P-Restart	P-Restart	Rdy

Present State		Next State	
	Reset-C	Restart-C	Clr-C
Rdy	Error	Error	Error
Dat-Tr			
a) P-Reset	FC-Rdy	Error	Error
b) FC-Rdy	Error	Error	Error
P-Clr	Error	Error	Rdy
P-Restart	Error	Rdy	Error

Where
  Inc-Call = Incoming-Call-Packet
  Clr-I = Clear-Indication-Packet
  Reset-I = Reset-Indication-Packet
  Restart-I = Restart-Indication-Packet
  Reset-C = Reset-Confirmation-Packet
  Clr-C = Clear-Confirmation-Packet
  Rdy = Ready State
  Dat-Tr = Data Transfer State
  P-Reset = Pending Reset State
  FC-Rdy = Flow Control Ready State
  P-Clr = Pending Clear State
  P-Restart = Pending Restart State

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Case state of

  Ready:      If INCOMING-CALL-PACKET received from CALLED
              NODE then send CALL-ACCEPTED-PACKET back to
              CALLED NODE
   Pending
    Reset:  If RESET-REQUEST-PACKET has not been sent or if
            max-time-for-response has elapsed then
            send RESET-REQUEST-PACKET and restart timer
   Flow
   Control
    Ready:  Queue CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA-PACKET for
            channel
   Pending
    Clear:  If CLEAR-REQUEST-PACKET has not been sent or if
            max-time-for-response has elapsed then
            send CLEAR-REQUEST-PACKET and restart timer
   Pending
   Restart: If RESTART-REQUEST-PACKET has not been sent or if
            max-time-for-response has elapsed then
            send RESTART-REQUEST-PACKET and restart timer
   Error:   Send RESTART-REQUEST-PACKET and enter Pending
            Restart State
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PROCESS NAME:          WINDOW CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
                       DATA-PACKET
PROCESS NUMBER:        5.3
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Case of CALLED-NODE-SUPERVISORY-PACKET
  NODE-RR-PACKET:  Called Node State = Ready
                   P(R) = P(R) of NODE-RR-PACKET
  NODE-RNR-PACKET: Called Node State = Not Ready
                   P(R) = P(R) of NODE-RNR-PACKET
  NODE-REJ-PACKET: Called Node State = Ready
                   P(R) = P(R) of NODE-REJ-PACKET
While P(S)<P(R) then Send a CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-
  DATA-PACKET from the queue and increment P(S) modulo 8
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PROCESS NAME:          SEND PACKET TO CALLED NODE
PROCESS NUMBER:        5.4
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Place Packet in Shared Memory Priority Queue for CALLED NODE
    Priority 1:  CALLED-HOST-INTERRUPT-CONFIRMATION-PACKET
    Priority 2:  HOST-CALL-MAINTENANCE-PACKET
    Priority 3:  WINDOWED-CALLED-HOST-TO-CALLING-HOST-DATA-
                 PACKET
(Priority 1 is highest)
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PROCESS NAME:            DETERMINE CALLED-NODE-TO-CALLED-HOST
                         PACKET TYPE
PROCESS NUMBER:          5.5
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If Octet 3 = (00001011) or (00010011) or (00010111)
 or (00011011) or (00011111) or (11111011) or (11111111)
 then CALLED-NODE-TO-CALLED-HOST-PACKET is a
 NODE-CALL-MAINTENANCE-PACKET
Else if Octet 3 = (XXX00001) or (XXX00101) or (XXX01001) or
 then CALLED-NODE-TO-CALLED-HOST-PACKET is a
 CALLED-NODE-SUPERVISORY-PACKET
Else if Octet 3 = (XXXXXXX0) then CALLED-NODE-TO-CALLED-
 HOST-PACKET is a CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-PACKET
Else if Octet 3 = (00100011) then CALLED-NODE-TO-CALLED-
 HOST-PACKET is a CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-NODE-
 INTERRUPT-PACKET
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PROCESS NAME:            DETERMINE DATA PACKET CATEGORY AND
                         EXTRACT FLOW CONTROL
PROCESS NUMBER:          5.6
PROCESS DEFINITION:
P(R) = Bits 8,7,6 of Octet 3 of CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-
 DATA-PACKET
P(S) = Bits 4,3,2 of Octet 3 of CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-
 DATA-PACKET
If Bit 5 of Octet 3 of CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-
 PACKET = 0 then CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-PACKET is
 a CATEGORY-1-PACKET
Else CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-DATA-PACKET is a CATEGORY-
 2-PACKET
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PROCESS NAME:            BUFFER PACKET SEQUENCE
PROCESS NUMBER:          5.7
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Extract CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST Data Field and
 append to end of Data Fields already buffered
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PROCESS NAME:            ASSEMBLE PACKET SEQUENCE
PROCESS NUMBER:          5.8
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:    SEE PROCESS 1.8
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PROCESS NAME: CONFIRM RECEIPT OF INTERRUPT PACKET
PROCESS NUMBER: 5.9
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Send HOST-INTERRUPT-CONFIRMATION-PACKET
Extract INTERRUPT-USER-DATA from CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-
 HOST-NODE-INTERRUPT-PACKET which is contained in Octet 4

PROCESS NAME: SEND DATA TO CALLED HOST
PROCESS NUMBER: 5.10
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Place CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-INTERRUPT-DATA and
 CALLING-HOST-TO-CALLED-HOST-COMPLETE-PACKET-SEQUENCE in
 priority queue for transmission to CALLED HOST by
 VIRTUAL TERMINAL PROTOCOL
Priority 1 (highest) INTERRUPT-DATA
Priority 2   COMPLETE-PACKET-SEQUENCE

DATA DICTIONARY

FOR NETWORK PROTOCOL

DATA ELEMENT NAME: IN-TRANSIT-PACKET
ALIASES: NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS: ANY LEVEL 3 PACKET THAT HAS BEEN
                        DETERMINED TO NOT BE AT ITS DESTINATION
                        NODE
NOTES: OVERVIEW LAYER

DATA ELEMENT NAME: SOURCE-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET
ALIASES: NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS: ANY LEVEL 3 PACKET THAT HAS BEEN
                        PASSED FROM THE SOURCE HOST TO THE
                        NODE SERVING THAT HOST AS AN ENTRY
                        POINT TO THE NETWORK
NOTES: CONTEXT LAYER

DATA ELEMENT NAME: TRANSMITTED-PACKET
ALIASES: NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS: ANY LEVEL 3 PACKET THAT HAS BEEN
                        TRANSMITTED FROM ONE NODE TO ANOTHER
NOTES: OVERVIEW LAYER

DATA ELEMENT NAME: TRANSMITTED-SOURCE-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET
ALIASES: TRANSMITTED-SOURCE-NODE-PACKET
VALUES AND MEANINGS: ANY LEVEL 3 PACKET THAT HAS BEEN
                        TRANSMITTED ACROSS THE NETWORK TO THE
                        NODE THAT SERVES AS THE ENTRY POINT
                        FOR THE HOST THAT IS THE PACKET'S
                        DESTINATION
NOTES: CONTEXT LAYER

DATA ELEMENT NAME: TRANSMITTED-SOURCE-NODE-PACKET
ALIASES: TRANSMITTED-SOURCE-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET
VALUES AND MEANINGS: SEE ALIAS
NOTES: SEE ALIAS

FILE DEFINITIONS

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FILE OR DATABASE NAME:  ROUTING-LOOKUP-TABLE
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            ROUTING-LOOKUP-TABLE =
                        {DESTINATION-NODE + NEXT-CLOSER-NODE}
ORGANIZATION:           ARRAY
                        EACH NODE MUST HAVE ITS OWN LOOKUP
                        TABLE STORED IN IT
NOTES:                  OVERVIEW LAYER
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PROCESS SPECIFICATIONS

PROCESS NAME: DETERMINE THE NEXT CLOSER NODE
PROCESS NUMBER: 1
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Access the ROUTING-LOOKUP-TABLE using the LEVEL-3-PACKET's
 DEST-HOST field to find the NEXT-CLOSER-NODE
If the NEXT-CLOSER-NODE is the PRESENT-NODE then pass the
 LEVEL-3-PACKET to the LEVEL-3-NODE-PROTOCOL
Else output the LEVEL-3-PACKET as an IN-TRANSIT-PACKET with
 the NEXT-CLOSER-NODE as the NEXT-PACKET-DESTINATION

PROCESS NAME: TRANSMIT PACKET TO ROUTED NODE
PROCESS NUMBER: 2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Use the X.25 Level 2 Protocol to transmit the IN-TRANSIT-
 PACKET to the NEXT-PACKET-DESTINATION as a TRANSMITTED-
 PACKET

DATA DICTIONARY

FOR X.25 LEVEL 2 PROTOCOL

DATA ELEMENT NAME: ABORTED-PACKET
ALIASES: NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS: ANY PACKET CONTAINING A SEQUENCE OF
                     SEVEN CONSECUTIVE 1'S
NOTES: EXTRACT VALID PACKET LAYER

DATA ELEMENT NAME: ADDRESS-FIELD
ALIASES: NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS: 8 BIT FIELD
                     (10000000) = PRIMARY TO SECONDARY
                                  COMMAND OR SECONDARY TO
                                  PRIMARY RESPONSE
                     (11000000) = PRIMARY TO SECONDARY
                                  RESPONSE OR SECONDARY TO
                                  PRIMARY COMMAND
NOTES: HDLC PRIMARY,SECONDARY PROTOCOL LAYERS

DATA ELEMENT NAME: BUSY-INDICATION
ALIASES: NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS: TWO-BIT CODE WITH VALUE = 10
                     INDICATES THAT THE SECONDARY NODE IS
                     NOT READY TO RECEIVE LEVEL-2-PACKETS
NOTES: EXECUTE S-FRAME RESPONSE LAYER,
                     WINDOW PRIMARY INFORMATION BLOCKS LAYER

DATA ELEMENT NAME: BUSY-N(R)
ALIASES: N(R)
VALUES AND MEANINGS: SEE ALIAS
NOTES: EXECUTE S-FRAME-RESPONSE LAYER,
                     WINDOW PRIMARY INFORMATION BLOCKS LAYER

DATA ELEMENT NAME: BUSY-PRIMARY-N(R)
ALIASES: PRIMARY-N(R)
VALUES AND MEANINGS: SEE ALIAS
NOTES: EXECUTE S-FRAME COMMAND LAYER,
                     WINDOW SECONDARY INFORMATION BLOCKS

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DATA ELEMENT NAME:      CMDR(FRMR)-RESPONSE
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            CMDR(FRMR)-RESPONSE = 1100 + FINAL-BIT
                          + 001
NOTES:                  HDLC PRIMARY, SECONDARY NODE PROTOCOL
                          LAYERS



DATAFLOW NAME:          COMMAND-MODIFIER-BITS
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            COMMAND-MODIFIER-BITS = [DISC-COMMAND
                          | TRANSMITTED-SABM-COMMAND]
NOTES:                  EXECUTE U-FRAME COMMAND LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          CONTROL-FIELD
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            CONTROL-FIELD = [I-FRAME-CONTROL-FIELD
                          | S-FRAME-CONTROL-FIELD | U-FRAME-
                          CONTROL-FIELD]
NOTES:                  HDLC PRIMARY, SECONDARY NODE PROTOCOL
                          LAYERS



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      DISC-COMMAND
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    BITS 1,2,7 = 1
                        BITS 3,4,6,8 = 0
                        COMMANDS THE SECONDARY NODE TO
                        ENTER THE DISCONNECTED STATE
NOTES:                  EXECUTE U-FRAME COMMAND LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      DISC-UA-RESPONSE
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    DISCONNECT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT RESPONSE
                        BITS 1,2,6,7 = 1
                        BITS 3,4,8 = 0
                        ACKNOWLEDGES TO THE PRIMARY NODE THAT
                        THE SECONDARY NODE IS NOW IN THE
                        DISCONNECTED STATE
NOTES:                  EXECUTE U-FRAME COMMAND LAYER,
                        WINDOW SECONDARY INFORMATION BLOCKS
                          LAYER
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:      DM-RESPONSE
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    BITS 1-4 = 1
                        BITS 6,7,8 = 0
                        INDICATES THAT THE SECONDARY NODE IS
                        IN THE DISCONNECTED MODE AND CANNOT
                        RECEIVE LEVEL-2-PACKETS EXCEPT FOR A
                        SABM-COMMAND
NOTES:                  EXECUTE U-FRAME RESPONSE, COMMAND LAYER
                        AND WINDOW SECONDARY INFORMATION
                        BLOCKS LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      FCS-BLOCK
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    FIELD CHECK SEQUENCE BLOCK
                        A SIXTEEN BIT SEQUENCE GENERATED AT
                        THE TRANSMITTING NODE THAT IS THE
                        REMAINDER AFTER DIVISION OF THE LEVEL-
                        2-PACKET BY THE CRC POLYNOMIAL
NOTES:                  EXTRACT VALID PACKET LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      FCS-ERROR-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    A VALID-LENGTH-PACKET WHOSE FCS-BLOCK
                        DOES NOT MATCH THE LOCALLY-GENERATED-
                        CRC-POLYNOMIAL
NOTES:                  EXTRACT VALID PACKET LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      FINAL-BIT
ALIASES:                I-FRAME-FINAL-BIT, S-FRAME-FINAL-BIT,
                        U-FRAME-FINAL-BIT
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    BIT 5 OF THE SECONDARY-FRAME-CONTROL-
                        FIELD
                        0 = NOT A RESPONSE TO A PRIMARY NODE
                            POLL
                        1 = THE RESPONSE TO THE PRIMARY NODE
                            POLL
NOTES:                  HDLC PRIMARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      I-FRAME-FINAL-BIT
ALIASES:                FINAL-BIT
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                  EXECUTE SECONDARY I-FRAME PACKET LAYER
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DATAFLOW NAME:        I-FRAME-PACKET-SEQUENCE-INFO
ALIASES:              SECONDARY-I-FRAME-PACKET-SEQUENCE-INFO,
                      PRIMARY-I-FRAME-PACKET-SEQUENCE-INFO
COMPOSITION:          I-FRAME-PACKET-SEQUENCE-INFO = N(R) +
                                                        N(S)
NOTES:                HDLC PRIMARY, SECONDARY NODE PROTOCOL
                      LAYERS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:    I-FRAME-POLL-BIT
ALIASES:              POLL-BIT
VALUES AND MEANINGS:  SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                EXECUTE PRIMARY I-FRAME PACKET LAYER,
                      WINDOW SECONDARY INFORMATION BLOCKS
                        LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:    INVALID-LENGTH-PACKET
ALIASES:              INVALID-LENGTH-PRIMARY-PACKET,
                      INVALID-LENGTH-SECONDARY-PACKET
VALUES AND MEANINGS:  ANY UNSTUFFED-PACKET THAT IS LESS THAN
                      32 BITS LONG
NOTES:                EXTRACT VALID PACKET LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:    INVALID-LENGTH-PRIMARY-PACKET
ALIASES:              INVALID-LENGTH-PACKET
VALUES AND MEANINGS:  SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                HDLC SECONDARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:    INVALID-LENGTH-SECONDARY-PACKET
ALIASES:              INVALID-LENGTH-PACKET
VALUES AND MEANINGS:  SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                HDLC PRIMARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:    INVALID-SECONDARY-N(R)-I-FRAME
ALIASES:              NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:  ANY SECONDARY-TO-PRIMARY-I-FRAME WITH
                      AN N(R) THAT IS NOT IN THE WINDOW OF
                      THE PRIMARY NODE
NOTES:                HDLC PRIMARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:     INVALID-PRIMARY-PACKET-TYPE
ALIASES:               NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:   ANY PRIMARY-LEVEL-2-PACKET THAT
                       PASSES THE INITIAL VALIDATION IN THE
                       EXTRACT VALID PACKET PROCESS BUT
                       CANNOT BE RECOGNIZED AS ANY OF THE
                       LEGAL PRIMARY PACKET TYPES
NOTES:                 HDLC SECONDARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:     INVALID-SECONDARY-PACKET-TYPE
ALIASES:               NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:   ANY SECONDARY-LEVEL-2-PACKET THAT
                       PASSES THE INITIAL VALIDATION IN THE
                       EXTRACT VALID PACKET PROCESS BUT
                       CANNOT BE RECOGNIZED AS ANY OF THE
                       LEGAL SECONDARY PACKET TYPES
NOTES:                 HDLC PRIMARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:     LEVEL-2-PACKET
ALIASES:               NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:   THE CONTENTS BETWEEN TWO SYN CHARACTERS
                       EXCLUDING THE ABORTED PACKETS
NOTES:                 EXTRACT VALID PACKET LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:     LINK-STATUS
ALIASES:               NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:   INDICATES THE CURRENT STATE OF THE
                       LINK BETWEEN THE PRIMARY AND SECONDARY
                       NODES
                       THE STATE OF THE LINK MAY BE EITHER
                       DISCONNECTED, READY, OR PENDING-SETUP
NOTES:                 EXECUTE U-FRAME RESPONSE LAYER,
                       WINDOW PRIMARY INFORMATION BLOCKS LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:     LOCALLY-GENERATED-CRC-REMAINDER
ALIASES:               NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:   A SIXTEEN BIT SEQUENCE THAT IS THE
                       REMAINDER AFTER DIVISION OF THE VALID-
                       LENGTH-PACKET BY THE CRC POLYNOMIAL
NOTES:                 EXTRACT VALID PACKET LAYER
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:      N(R)
ALIASES:                READY-N(R), BUSY-N(R), REJECT-N(R)
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    RECEIVE SEQUENCE NUMBER
                        BITS 6,7,8 OF THE SECONDARY-I-FRAME-
                        CONTROL-FIELD
                        INDICATES THE NEXT PACKET THAT THE
                        SECONDARY NODE EXPECTS TO RECEIVE FROM
                        THE PRIMARY NODE
NOTES:                  HDLC PRIMARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      N(S)
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    SEND SEQUENCE NUMBER
                        BITS 2,3,4 OF THE I-FRAME-CONTROL-FIELD
NOTES:                  HDLC PRIMARY AND SECONDARY NODES
                         PROTOCOL LAYERS



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      OUT-OF-SEQUENCE-PRIMARY-I-FRAME
ALIASES:                OUT-OF-SEQUENCE-PRIMARY-I-FRAME-PACKET
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                  EXECUTE PRIMARY I-FRAME PACKET



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      OUT-OF-SEQUENCE-PRIMARY-I-FRAME-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    ANY PRIMARY-TO-SECONDARY-I-FRAME WITH
                        AN N(R) THAT IS NOT IN THE WINDOW OF
                        THE SECONDARY NODE
NOTES:                  HDLC SECONDARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      POLL-BIT
ALIASES:                I-FRAME-POLL-BIT, S-FRAME-POLL-BIT,
                        U-FRAME-POLL-BIT
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    BIT 5 OF THE PRIMARY-FRAME-CONTROL-
                        FIELD
                        IF THIS BIT IS A 1 THEN THE PRIMARY
                        NODE IS REQUESTING A STATUS UPDATE
                        FROM THE SECONDARY NODE ON THE VALUE
                        OF THE WINDOWING VARIABLES AND THE
                        STATE OF THE SECONDARY NODE
NOTES:                  HDLC SECONDARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:      PRIMARY-BUSY-INDICATION
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    TWO-BIT CODE WITH VALUE = 10
                        INDICATES THAT THE PRIMARY NODE IS
                        NOT READY TO RECEIVE LEVEL-2-PACKETS
NOTES:                  EXECUTE S-FRAME COMMAND LAYER,
                        WINDOW SECONDARY INFORMATION BLOCKS LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      PRIMARY-BUSY-N(R)
ALIASES:                BUSY-PRIMARY-N(R)
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                  WINDOW SECONDARY INFORMATION BLOCKS
                          LAYER
DATAFLOW NAME:          PRIMARY-I-FRAME-CONTROL-FIELD
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            PRIMARY-I-FRAME-CONTROL-FIELD = 0 +
                        N(S) + I-FRAME-POLL-BIT + N(R)
NOTES:                  EXECUTE PRIMARY I-FRAME PACKET LAYER


DATAFLOW NAME:          PRIMARY-I-FRAME-PACKET
ALIASES:                PRIMARY-TO-SECONDARY-I-FRAME-PACKET
COMPOSITION:            SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                  EXECUTE PRIMARY I-FRAME PACKET


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      PRIMARY-I-FRAME-N(R)
ALIASES:                PRIMARY-I-FRAME-PACKET-SEQUENCE-INFO
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    AN INTEGER BETWEEN 0 AND 7 INDICATING
                        THE NEXT PACKET SEQUENCE NUMBER THAT
                        THE PRIMARY NODE IS EXPECTING TO
                        RECEIVE
NOTES:                  EXECUTE PRIMARY I-FRAME PACKET LAYER,
                        WINDOW SECONDARY INFORMATION BLOCKS
                          LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:      PRIMARY-I-FRAME-PACKET-SEQUENCE-INFO
ALIASES:                PRIMARY-I-FRAME-N(R)
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                  HDLC SECONDARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER


DATAFLOW NAME:          PRIMARY-INCOMING-BIT-STREAM
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            PRIMARY-INCOMING-BIT-STREAM =
                        {{SYN} + TRANSMITTED-SECONDARY-LEVEL-2-
                          PACKET}
NOTES:                  OVERVIEW LAYER
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DATAFLOW NAME:        PRIMARY-LEVEL-2-PACKET
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:          PRIMARY-LEVEL-2-PACKET = ADDRESS-FIELD
                         + CONTROL-FIELD + (INFO-FIELD)
NOTES:                HDLC PRIMARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:    PRIMARY-LEVEL-3-PACKET
ALIASES:              PRIMARY-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET
VALUES AND MEANINGS:  SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                WINDOW PRIMARY INFORMATION BLOCKS
                         LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:    PRIMARY-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET
ALIASES:              PRIMARY-LEVEL-3-PACKET
VALUES AND MEANINGS:  ANY LEVEL 3 PACKET AT A NODE THAT HAS
                      BEEN DESIGNATED AS A PRIMARY NODE
NOTES:                OVERVIEW LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:        PRIMARY-NODE-STATUS
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:          PRIMARY-NODE-STATUS = [READY-
                         INDICATION + READY-N(R) | BUSY-
                         INDICATION + BUSY-N(R) | REJECTION-
                         EXCEPTION-CONDITION + REJECT-N(R)]
                         + S-FRAME-POLL-BIT
NOTES:                HDLC SECONDARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:    PRIMARY-N(R)
ALIASES:              READY-PRIMARY-N(R), BUSY-PRIMARY-N(R),
                      REJECT-PRIMARY-N(R)
VALUES AND MEANINGS:  RECEIVE SEQUENCE NUMBER
                      BITS 6,7,8 OF THE PRIMARY-I-FRAME-
                      CONTROL-FIELD
                      INDICATES THE NEXT PACKET THAT THE
                      PRIMARY NODE EXPECTS TO RECEIVE FROM
                      THE SECONDARY NODE
NOTES:                HDLC SECONDARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:        PRIMARY-OUTGOING-BIT-STREAM
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:          PRIMARY-OUTGOING-BIT-STREAM =
                      {{SYN} + TRANSMITTED-SECONDARY-
                      LEVEL-2-PACKET}
NOTES:                OVERVIEW LAYER
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:     PRIMARY-READY-INDICATION
ALIASES:               NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:   TWO BIT CODE WITH VALUE = 00
                       INDICATES THAT THE PRIMARY NODE IS
                       READY TO RECEIVE LEVEL-2-PACKETS
NOTES:                 EXECUTE S-FRAME COMMAND LAYER,
                       WINDOW SECONDARY INFORMATION BLOCKS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:     PRIMARY-READY-N(R)
ALIASES:               READY-PRIMARY-N(R)
VALUES AND MEANINGS:   SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                 WINDOW SECONDARY INFORMATION BLOCKS
                         LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:     PRIMARY-REJECT-N(R)
ALIASES:               PRIMARY-N(R)
VALUES AND MEANINGS:   SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                 EXECUTE S-FRAME COMMAND LAYER,
                       WINDOW SECONDARY INFORMATION BLOCKS LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:     PRIMARY-REJECTION-CONDITION
ALIASES:               NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:   TWO-BIT CODE WITH VALUE = 01 THAT
                       INDICATES THAT THE SECONDARY-V(S) IS TO
                       BE RESET TO THE N(R) IN THE REJ-
                       COMMAND AND ALL PACKETS SUBSEQUENT TO
                       THAT PACKET NUMBER RETRANSMITTED
NOTES:                 EXECUTE S-FRAME COMMAND LAYER,
                       WINDOW SECONDARY INFORMATION BLOCKS LAYER


DATAFLOW NAME:         PRIMARY-TO-SECONDARY-I-FRAME-PACKET
ALIASES:               PRIMARY-I-FRAME-PACKET
COMPOSITION:           PRIMARY-TO-SECONDARY-I-FRAME =
                       [INVALID-PRIMARY-I-FRAME | VALID-
                         PRIMARY-I-FRAME-PACKET]
NOTES:                 HDLC SECONDARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:     READY-INDICATION
ALIASES:               NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:   TWO BIT CODE WITH VALUE = 00
                       INDICATES THAT THE SECONDARY NODE IS
                       READY TO RECEIVE LEVEL-2-PACKETS
NOTES:                 EXECUTE S-FRAME RESPONSE LAYER,
                       WINDOW PRIMARY INFORMATION BLOCKS
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:     READY-N(R)
ALIASES:               N(R)
VALUES AND MEANINGS:   SEE ALIAS
                       THE PACKET THAT THE SECONDARY NODE
                       IS EXPECTING TO RECEIVE NEXT
NOTES:                 EXECUTE S-FRAME RESPONSE LAYER,
                       WINDOW PRIMARY INFORMATION BLOCKS LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:     READY-PRIMARY-N(R)
ALIASES:               PRIMARY-N(R)
VALUES AND MEANINGS:   SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                 EXECUTE S-FRAME COMMAND LAYER,
                       WINDOW SECONDARY INFORMATION BLOCKS


DATA ELEMENT NAME:     REJ-READY-INDICATION
ALIASES:               NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:   THIS IS A SIGNAL THAT THE REJECTION
                       EXCEPTION CONDITION HAS BEEN CLEARED
NOTES:                 WINDOW PRIMARY, SECONDARY INFORMATION
                        BLOCKS LAYERS


DATAFLOW NAME:         REJ-COMMAND
ALIASES:               NONE
COMPOSITION:           REJ-COMMAND = PRIMARY-REJECTION-
                        CONDITION + REJECT-PRIMARY-N(R)
NOTES:                 EXECUTE S-FRAME COMMAND LAYER


DATAFLOW NAME:         REJ-RESPONSE
ALIASES:               NONE
COMPOSITION:           REJ-RESPONSE = REJECTION-EXCEPTION-
                        CONDITION + REJECT-N(R)
NOTES:                 EXECUTE S-FRAME RESPONSE LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:     REJECT-N(R)
ALIASES:               N(R)
VALUES AND MEANINGS:   SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                 EXECUTE S-FRAME RESPONSE LAYER,
                       WINDOW PRIMARY INFORMATION BLOCKS LAYER
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:      REJECTION-EXCEPTION-CONDITION
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    TWO-BIT CODE WITH VALUE = 01 THAT
                        INDICATES THAT THE PRIMARY-V(S) IS TO
                        BE RESET TO THE N(R) IN THE REJ-
                        RESPONSE AND ALL PACKETS SUBSEQUENT TO
                        THAT PACKET NUMBER RETRANSMITTED
NOTES:                  EXECUTE S-FRAME RESPONSE LAYER,
                        WINDOW PRIMARY INFORMATION BLOCKS LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      RESET-COMMAND-PACKET
ALAISES:                SABM-COMMAND
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                  WINDOW PRIMARY INFORMATION BLOCKS
                          LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          RESPONSE-MODIFIER-BITS
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            RESPONSE-MODIFIER-BITS = [DM-RESPONSE
                          | TRANSMITTED-SECONDARY-CMDR(FRMR)-
                          RESPONSE | UA-RESPONSE]
NOTES:                  EXECUTE U-FRAME RESPONSE LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          RESPONSE-SUPERVISORY-FUNCTION-BITS
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            RESPONSE-SUPERVISORY-FUNCTION-BITS =
                        [RR-RESPONSE | RNR-RESPONSE | REJ-
                          RESPONSE]
NOTES:                  EXECUTE S-FRAME RESPONSE LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          RNR-COMMAND
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            RNR-COMMAND = PRIMARY-BUSY-INDICATION
                                    + BUSY-PRIMARY-N(R)
NOTES:                  EXECUTE S-FRAME COMMAND LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          RNR-RESPONSE
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            RNR-RESPONSE = BUSY-INDICATION + N(R)
NOTES:                  EXECUTE S-FRAME RESPONSE LAYER,
                        WINDOW SECONDARY INFORMATION BLOCKS
                          LAYER
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DATAFLOW NAME:        RR-COMMAND
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:          RR-COMMAND = PRIMARY-READY-INDICATION
                                    + READY-PRIMARY-N(R)
NOTES:                WINDOW PRIMARY INFORMATION BLOCKS,
                      EXECUTE S-FRAME COMMAND LAYER
                        LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:        RR-RESPONSE
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:          RR-RESPONSE = READY-INDICATION + N(R)
NOTES:                EXECUTE S-FRAME RESPONSE LAYER,
                      WINDOW SECONDARY INFORMATION BLOCKS
                        LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:        S-FRAME-COMMAND
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:          S-FRAME-COMMAND = S-FRAME-POLL-BIT +
                        S-FRAME-CONTROL-FIELD
NOTES:                HDLC SECONDARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:        S-FRAME-CONTROL-FIELD
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:          S-FRAME-CONTROL-FIELD =
                      [RR-COMMAND | RNR-COMMAND | REJ-
                        COMMAND]
NOTES:                EXECUTE S-FRAME COMMAND LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:    S-FRAME-FINAL-BIT
ALIASES:              FINAL-BIT
VALUES AND MEANINGS:  SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                EXECUTE S-FRAME RESPONSE LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:    S-FRAME-POLL-BIT
ALIASES:              POLL-BIT
VALUES AND MEANINGS:  SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                EXECUTE S-FRAME COMMAND LAYER,
                      WINDOW SECONDARY INFORMATION BLOCKS
                        LAYER
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DATAFLOW NAME:        S-FRAME-RESPONSE
ALIASES:              SECONDARY-TO-PRIMARY-S-FRAME-RESPONSE
COMPOSITION:          SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                EXECUTE S-FRAME RESPONSE LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:    SABM-COMMAND
ALIASES:              RESET-COMMAND-PACKET
VALUES AND MEANINGS:  SET ASYNCHRONOUS BALANCED MODE COMMAND
                      CONTROL-FIELD = 1111 + POLL-BIT + 100
                      RESETS THE LINK TO ENABLE RECOVERY
                      FROM PROCEDURE ERRORS OR INITIALIZATION
                      OF THE LINK AT STARTUP
NOTES:                HDLC PRIMARY, SECONDARY NODE PROTOCOL
                        LAYERS



DATA ELEMENT NAME:    SABM-UA-RESPONSE
ALIASES:              NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:  SABM ACKNOWLEDGEMENT RESPONSE
                      BITS 1,2,6,7 = 1
                      BITS 3,4,8 = 0
                      CONFIRMS TO THE PRIMARY NODE THAT THE
                      SECONDARY NODE HAS NOW RESET ITS
                      WINDOWING VARIABLES AND IS READY TO
                      RESTART TRANSMISSION OF THE LEVEL-2-
                      PACKETS
NOTES:                EXECUTE U-FRAME COMMAND LAYER,
                      WINDOW SECONDARY INFORMATION BLOCKS
                        LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:    SECONDARY-FINAL-BIT
ALIASES:              NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:  0 = THE SECONDARY LEVEL 2 PACKET IS
                          NOT A RESPONSE TO A POLL FROM
                          THE PRIMARY NODE
                      1 = THE SECONDARY LEVEL 2 PACKET IS
                          A RESPONSE TO A POLL FROM THE
                          PRIMARY NODE
NOTES:                WINDOW SECONDARY INFORMATION BLOCKS
                        LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:        SECONDARY-I-FRAME-CONTROL-FIELD
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:          SECONDARY-I-FRAME-CONTROL-FIELD = 0 +
                      N(S) + I-FRAME-FINAL-BIT + N(R)
NOTES:                EXECUTE SECONDARY I-FRAME PACKET LAYER
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DATAFLOW NAME:        SECONDARY-I-FRAME-PACKET
ALIASES:              SECONDARY-TO-PRIMARY-I-FRAME-PACKET
COMPOSITION:          SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                EXECUTE SECONDARY I-FRAME PACKET LAYER


DATAFLOW NAME:        SECONDARY-I-FRAME-PACKET-SEQUENCE-INFO
ALIASES:              I-FRAME-PACKET-SEQUENCE-INFO
COMPOSITION:          SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                EXECUTE SECONDARY I-FRAME PACKET LAYER


DATAFLOW NAME:        SECONDARY-INCOMING-BIT-STREAM
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:          SECONDARY-INCOMING-BIT-STREAM =
                      {{SYN} + TRANSMITTED-PRIMARY-LEVEL-2-
                       PACKET}
NOTES:                OVERVIEW LAYER


DATAFLOW NAME:        SECONDARY-LEVEL-2-PACKET
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:          SECONDARY-LEVEL-2-PACKET = ADDRESS-FIELD
                      + CONTROL-FIELD + (INFO-FIELD)
NOTES:                HDLC SECONDARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:    SECONDARY-LEVEL-3-PACKET
ALIASES:              SECONDARY-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET
VALUES AND MEANINGS:  SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                WINDOW SECONDARY INFORMATION BLOCKS
                       LAYER


DATA ELEMENT NAME:    SECONDARY-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET
ALIASES:              NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:  ANY LEVEL 3 PACKET THAT IS TO BE
                      TRANSMITTED FROM A SECONDARY NODE TO
                      A PRIMARY NODE
NOTES:                OVERVIEW LAYER
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DATAFLOW NAME:        SECONDARY-NODE-STATUS
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:          SECONDARY-NODE-STATUS = [READY-
                      INDICATION + READY-N(R) | BUSY-
                      INDICATION + BUSY-N(R) | REJECTION-
                      EXCEPTION-CONDITION + REJECT-N(R)]
                      + S-FRAME-FINAL-BIT
NOTES:                HDLC PRIMARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:        SECONDARY-OUTGOING-BIT-STREAM
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:          SECONDARY-OUTGOING-BIT-STREAM =
                      {{SYN} + SECONDARY-LEVEL-2-PACKET}
NOTES:                OVERVIEW LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:        SECONDARY-TO-PRIMARY-I-FRAME
ALIASES:              SECONDARY-I-FRAME-PACKET
COMPOSITION:          SECONDARY-TO-PRIMARY-I-FRAME =
                      [INVALID-SECONDARY-I-FRAME | VALID-
                      SECONDARY-I-FRAME-PACKET]
NOTES:                HDLC PRIMARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:        SECONDARY-TO-PRIMARY-S-FRAME-RESPONSE
ALIASES:              S-FRAME-RESPONSE
COMPOSITION:          SECONDARY-TO-PRIMARY-S-FRAME-RESPONSE=
                      S-FRAME-FINAL-BIT + RESPONSE-
                      SUPERVISORY-FUNCTION-BITS
NOTES:                HDLC PRIMARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:        SECONDARY-TO-PRIMARY-U-FRAME-RESPONSE
ALIASES:              U-FRAME-RESPONSE
COMPOSITION:          SECONDARY-TO-PRIMARY-U-FRAME-RESPONSE=
                      RESPONSE-MODIFIER-BITS + U-FRAME-
                      FINAL-BIT
NOTES:                HDLC PRIMARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER



DATALOW NAME:         SECONDARY-VALID-PACKET
ALIASES:              NONE
COMPOSITION:          SECONDARY-VALID-PACKET = ADDRESS-FIELD
                      + CONTROL-FIELD + (INFO-FIELD)
NOTES:                HDLC PRIMARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:      SYN
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    SYNCHRONIZATION CHARACTER
                        THE OCTET (01111110)
NOTES:                  OVERVIEW LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      TRANSMITTED-PRIMARY-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    ANY LEVEL 3 PACKET THAT HAS BEEN
                        TRANSMITTED FROM A PRIMARY NODE TO A
                        SECONDARY NODE
NOTES:                  OVERVIEW LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      TRANSMITTED-SABM-COMMAND
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    TRANSMITTED SET ANSYNCHRONOUS BALANCED
                        MODE COMMAND
                        BITS 1,2,3,4,6 = 1
                        BITS 7,8 = 0
                        COMMANDS THE SECONDARY NODE TO RESET
                        THE LINK WINDOWING VARIABLES
NOTES:                  EXECUTE U-FRAME COMMAND LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      TRANSMITTED-SECONDARY-CMDR(FRMR)-
                          RESPONSE
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    BITS 1,2,3,8 = 1
                        BITS 4,6,7   = 0
                        INDICATES THAT A LOCAL PROCEDURE ERROR
                        HAS OCCURRED AT THE SECONDARY NODE AND
                        REQUESTS THE PRIMARY NODE TO RESET THE
                        LINK
NOTES:                  EXECUTE U-FRAME RESPONSE LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      TRANSMITTED-SECONDARY-LEVEL-3-PACKET
ALIASES:                TRANSMITTED-SECONDARY-NODE-LEVEL-3-
                          PACKET
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                  EXECUTE SECONDARY I-FRAME PACKET LAYER
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:      TRANSMITTED-SECONDARY-NODE-LEVEL-3-
                          PACKET
ALIASES:                TRANSMITTED-SECONDARY-LEVEL-3-PACKET
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    ANY LEVEL 3 PACKET THAT HAS BEEN
                        TRANSMITTED FROM A PRIMARY NODE TO A
                        SECONDARY NODE
NOTES:                  OVERVIEW LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          U-FRAME-COMMAND
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            U-FRAME-COMMAND = COMMAND-MODIFIER-
                          BITS + U-FRAME-POLL-BIT
NOTES:                  HDLC SECONDARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      U-FRAME-FINAL-BIT
ALIASES:                FINAL-BIT
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                  EXECUTE U-FRAME RESPONSE LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      U-FRAME-POLL-BIT
ALIASES:                POLL-BIT
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                  EXECUTE U-FRAME COMMAND LAYER,
                        WINDOW SECONDARY INFORMATION BLOCKS
                          LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          U-FRAME-RESET-COMMAND
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            U-FRAME-RESET-COMMAND = [SABM-COMMAND
                          | LINK-STATUS] + U-FRAME-FINAL-BIT
NOTES:                  HDLC PRIMARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          U-FRAME-RESPONSE
ALIASES:                SECONDARY-TO-PRIMARY-U-FRAME-RESPONSE
COMPOSITION:            SEE ALIAS
NOTES:                  EXECUTE U-FRAME RESPONSE LAYER
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DATA ELEMENT NAME:      UA-RESPONSE
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    BITS 1,2,6,7 = 1
                        BITS 3,4,8   = 0
                        INDICATES THAT THE COMMAND SENT BY THE
                        PRIMARY NODE HAS BEEN EXECUTED
NOTES:                  EXECUTE U-FRAME RESPONSE LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          UNSTUFFED-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            UNSTUFFED-PACKET = [VALID-LENGTH-
                         PACKET | INVALID-LENGTH-PACKET]
NOTES:                  EXTRACT VALID PACKET LAYER



DATA ELEMENT NAME:      UPDATED-LOWER-WINDOW-EDGE
ALIASES:                NONE
VALUES AND MEANINGS:    THIS IS AN INTEGER BETWEEN 0 AND 7
                        THAT IS ONE GREATER THAN THE HIGHEST
                        PACKET SEQUENCE NUMBER THAT CAN BE
                        SENT UNTIL THE LOWER-WINDOW-EDGE IS
                        AGAIN UPDATED
NOTES:                  WINDOW PRIMARY, SECONDARY INFORMATION
                         BLOCKS LAYERS



DATAFLOW NAME:          VALID-LENGTH-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            VALID-LENGTH-PACKET = FCS-BLOCK +
                        [FCS-ERROR-PACKET | VALID-PACKET]
NOTES:                  EXTRACT VALID PACKET LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          VALID-PACKET
ALIASES:                VALID-PRIMARY-PACKET,
                        SECONDARY-VALID-PACKET
COMPOSITION:            SEE ALIASES
NOTES:                  EXTRACT VALID PACKET LAYER



DATAFLOW NAME:          VALID-PRIMARY-I-FRAME-PACKET
ALIASES:                NONE
COMPOSITION:            VALID-PRIMARY-I-FRAME-PACKET =
                        TRANSMITTED-PRIMARY-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET
                         + PRIMARY-I-FRAME-CONTROL-FIELD
NOTES:                  EXECUTE PRIMARY I-FRAME PACKET LAYER
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DATALOW NAME:          VALID-PRIMARY-PACKET
ALIASES:               NONE
COMPOSITION:           VALID-PRIMARY-PACKET = ADDRESS-FIELD
                         + CONTROL-FIELD + (INFO-FIELD)
NOTES:                 HDLC SECONDARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER


DATAFLOW NAME:         VALID-SECONDARY-I-FRAME-PACKET
ALIASES:               NONE
COMPOSITION:           VALID-SECONDARY-I-FRAME-PACKET =
                       TRANSMITTED-SECONDARY-I-FRAME-PACKET
                         + SECONDARY-I-FRAME-CONTROL-FIELD
NOTES:                 EXECUTE SECONDARY I-FRAME PACKET LAYER


DATAFLOW NAME:         WINDOWED-I-FRAME
ALIASES:               NONE
COMPOSITION:           WINDOWED-I-FRAME = LEVEL-3-
                         PACKET + N(R) + N(S) + [POLL-BIT
                         | FINAL-BIT]
NOTES:                 WINDOW PRIMARY, SECONDARY INFORMATION
                         BLOCKS LAYER
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FILE DEFINITIONS

FILE OR DATABASE NAME: PENDING-STATE-CHANGE
ALIASES: NONE
COMPOSITION: PENDING-STATE-CHANGE = [DISCONNECT-
                        LINK | SETUP-LINK]
ORGANIZATION: SINGLE VARIABLE
NOTES: EXECUTE U-FRAME RESPONSE LAYER

FILE OR DATABASE NAME: PRIMARY-V(R)
ALIASES: NONE
COMPOSITION: PRIMARY-V(R) IS THE NEXT PACKET
                        EXPECTED NUMBER
                        IT CAN RANGE FROM 0 TO 7
ORGANIZATION: SINGLE VARIABLE
NOTES: EXECUTE SECONDARY I-FRAME PACKET LAYER

FILE OR DATABASE NAME: PRIMARY-V(S)
ALIASES: NONE
COMPOSITION: PRIMARY-V(S) IS AN INTEGER BETWEEN
                        0 AND 7 THAT INDICATES THE SEQUENCE
                        NUMBER OF THE NEXT I-FRAME TO BE SENT
ORGANIZATION: SINGLE VARIABLE
NOTES: WINDOW PRIMARY INFORMATION BLOCKS
                         LAYER

FILE OR DATABASE NAME: SECONDARY-V(R)
ALIASES: NONE
COMPOSITION: SECONDARY-V(R) IS THE NEXT PACKET
                        EXPECTED NUMBER
                        IT CAN RANGE FROM 0 TO 7
ORGANIZATION: SINGLE VARIABLE
NOTES: HDLC SECONDARY NODE PROTOCOL LAYER

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FILE OR DATABASE NAME:   SECONDARY-V(S)
ALIASES:                 NONE
COMPOSITION:             SECONDARY-V(S) IS AN INTEGER BETWEEN
                         0 AND 7 THAT INDICATES THE SEQUENCE
                         NUMBER OF THE NEXT I-FRAME TO BE SENT
ORGANIZATION:            SINGLE VARIABLE
NOTES:                   WINDOW SECONDARY INFORMATION BLOCKS
                          LAYER
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PROCESS SPECIFICATIONS

PROCESS NAME: EXTRACT INFORMATION BETWEEN FLAGS
PROCESS NUMBER: 1.1.1
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Strip off first SYN (flag character)
While SYN and ABORT not encountered, assemble LEVEL-2-PACKET
If ABORT encountered then discard partially assembled
    LEVEL-2-PACKET as an ABORTED-PACKET
Else output LEVEL-2-PACKET when second SYN is encountered

PROCESS NAME: UNSTUFF 0'S
PROCESS NUMBER: 1.1.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Whenever five consecutive 1's are followed by a 0,
    delete the 0 from the LEVEL-2-PACKET
Output the new packet as an UNSTUFFED-PACKET

PROCESS NAME: CHECK LENGTH
PROCESS NUMBER: 1.1.3
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If UNSTUFFED-PACKET is less than 32 bits long then it is an
    INVALID-LENGTH-PACKET
Else it is a VALID-LENGTH-PACKET

PROCESS NAME: GENERATE CRC REMAINDER
PROCESS NUMBER: 1.1.4
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Divide the VALID-LENGTH-PACKET by the CRC polynomial which
    is $x^{**}16 + x^{**}12 + x^{**}5 + 1$ modulo 2
Multiply the VALID-LENGTH-PACKET by $x^{**}16$ and then divide it
    by the CRC polynomial
Add the remainders of the above two operations on the
    VALID-LENGTH-PACKET modulo 2 and take the 1's complement
Output the result as the LOCALLY-GENERATED-CRC-POLYNOMIAL

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PROCESS NAME:           CHECK FCS BLOCK
PROCESS NUMBER:         1.1.5
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If the FCS-BLOCK and the LOCALLY-GENERATED-CRC-POLYNOMIAL
  are equal then the VALID-LENGTH-PACKET is a VALID-PACKET
Else it is a FCS-ERROR-PACKET




PROCESS NAME:           DECODE SECONDARY PACKET ADDRESS AND
                        CONTROL FIELDS
PROCESS NUMBER:         1.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If ADDRESS-FIELD is (10000000) then
  if Bit 1 of CONTROL-FIELD = 0
    then SECONDARY-VALID-PACKET is SECONDARY-TO-PRIMARY-I-FRAME
  else if Bit 2 of CONTROL-FIELD = 0
    then SECONDARY-VALID-PACKET is SECONDARY-TO-PRIMARY-S-
      FRAME-RESPONSE
  else SECONDARY-VALID-PACKET is SECONDARY-TO-PRIMARY-U-FRAME-
      RESPONSE
Else SECONDARY-VALID-PACKET is an INVALID-SECONDARY-PACKET-
  TYPE




PROCESS NAME:           VALIDATE I-FRAME PACKET
PROCESS NUMBER:         1.3.1
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If N(S) of the SECONDARY-I-FRAME-PACKET = PRIMARY-V(R)
  then the SECONDARY-I-FRAME-PACKET is a VALID-SECONDARY-
    I-FRAME-PACKET
Else it is an INVALID-SECONDARY-N(R)-I-FRAME




PROCESS NAME:           PARSE I-FRAME
PROCESS NUMBER:         1.3.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Output the first octet of the VALID-SECONDARY-I-FRAME as the
  SECONDARY-I-FRAME-CONTROL-FIELD
Output Bit 5 of the first octet of the VALID-SECONDARY-I-
  FRAME as the I-FRAME-FINAL-BIT
Output all octets following the first octet as the
  TRANSMITTED-SECONDARY-LEVEL-3-PACKET




PROCESS NAME:           PARSE I-FRAME CONTROL FIELD
PROCESS NUMBER:         1.3.3
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Output Bits 2,3,4 as N(S)
Output Bits 6,7,8 as N(R)
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PROCESS NAME:          PARSE S-FRAME RESPONSE CONTROL FIELD
PROCESS NUMBER:        1.4.1
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
RESPONSE-SUPERVISORY-FUNCTION-BITS = Bits 3,4,6,7,8 of
   S-FRAME-RESPONSE-CONTROL-FIELD
S-FRAME-FINAL-BIT = Bit 5 of S-FRAME-CONTROL-FIELD



PROCESS NAME:          DECODE RESPONSE SUPERVISORY BITS
PROCESS NUMBER:        1.4.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Case Bits 3,4 of

   00:   RR-RESPONSE
   10:   RNR-RESPONSE
   01:   REJ-RESPONSE
   11:   INVALID-S-FRAME-RESPONSE



PROCESS NAME:          SEND READY STATUS AND EXTRACT N(R)
PROCESS NUMBER:        1.4.3
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Output READY-INDICATION
Set READY-N(R) = Bits 6,7,8 of RR-RESPONSE



PROCESS NAME:          SEND BUSY STATUS AND EXTRACT N(R)
PROCESS NUMBER:        1.4.4
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Output BUSY-INDICATION
Set BUSY-N(R) = Bits 6,7,8 of RNR-RESPONSE



PROCESS NAME:          SEND REJECT CONDITION AND EXTRACT N(R)
PROCESS NUMBER:        1.4.5
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Output REJECTION-EXCEPTION-CONDITION
Set REJECT-N(R) = Bits 6,7,8 of REJ-RESPONSE



PROCESS NAME:          PARSE U-FRAME RESPONSE CONTROL FIELD
PROCESS NUMBER:        1.5.1
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
RESPONSE-MODIFIER-BITS = Bits 3,4,6,7,8 of the U-FRAME-
                                RESPONSE
U-FRAME-FINAL-BIT = Bit 5 of the U-FRAME-RESPONSE
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PROCESS NAME:           DECODE RESPONSE MODIFIER BITS
PROCESS NUMBER:         1.5.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Case Bits 3,4,6,7,8 of
   (11000):  Output DM-RESPONSE
   (10001):  Output CMDR(FRMR)-RESPONSE
   (00110):  Output UA-RESPONSE
Otherwise:  Output INVALID-U-FRAME-RESPONSE



PROCESS NAME:           SET UP LINK
PROCESS NUMBER:         1.5.3
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If DM-RESPONSE or TRANSMITTED-SECONDARY-CMDR(FRMR)-RESPONSE
   is received then output an SABM-COMMAND and set the
   PENDING-STATE-CHANGE to LINK-SETUP state



PROCESS NAME:           EXECUTE PENDING STATE CHANGE
PROCESS NUMBER:         1.5.4
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If UA-RESPONSE is received then set LINK-STATUS to PENDING-
   STATE-CHANGE



PROCESS NAME:           RESET V(S)
PROCESS NUMBER:         1.6.1
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
When a REJECTION-EXCEPTION-CONDITION is received
   Update PRIMARY-V(S) to equal the REJECT-N(R)
   Output a REJ-READY-INDICATION



PROCESS NAME:           UPDATE LOWER WINDOW EDGE
PROCESS NUMBER:         1.6.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Set UPDATED-LOWER-WINDOW-EDGE = N(R)



PROCESS NAME:           POLL SECONDARY FOR READY STATE
PROCESS NUMBER:         1.6.3
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If BUSY-INDICATION is received then after POLL-DELAY output
   an RR-COMMAND
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PROCESS NAME:           PLACE I-FRAME IN X.25 LINK QUEUE
PROCESS NUMBER:         1.6.4
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
While LINK-STATUS is in READY state
   and PRIMARY-V(S) < UPDATED-LOWER-WINDOW-EDGE - 1
   and no REJ-READY-INDICATION is present
         Send PRIMARY-LEVEL-3-PACKET as WINDOWED-I-FRAME
            with N(R) = PRIMARY-V(R)
                 N(S) = PRIMARY-V(S)
         Increment PRIMARY-V(S)
If REJ-READY-INDICATION then
         Retransmit PRIMARY-LEVEL-3-PACKETs starting with the
            WINDOWED-I-FRAME with N(S) = PRIMARY-V(S)
         Increment PRIMARY-V(S)



PROCESS NAME:           SELECT PACKET FOR X.25 LINK
PROCESS NUMBER:         1.6.5
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Select packets from the transmit queue according to the
   following priority
         Priority 1:    SABM-COMMAND or RESET-COMMAND-PACKET
         Priority 2:    RR-COMMAND
         Priority 3:    WINDOWED-I-FRAME
If the queue is empty for MAX-TIME-BETWEEN-UPDATES then send
   an RR-RESPONSE with N(R) = PRIMARY-N(R) to update
   SECONDARY NODE LOWER-WINDOW-EDGE
Generate FCS-BLOCK
   Divide the VALID-LENGTH-PACKET by the CRC polynomial which
   is x**16 + x**12 + x**5 + 1 modulo 2
   Multiply the VALID-LENGTH-PACKET by x**16 and then divide
   it by the CRC polynomial
   Add the remainders of the above two operations on the
   VALID-LENGTH-PACKET modulo 2 and take the 1's complement
   The result is the FCS-BLOCK
Append the FCS-BLOCK to the packet to be transmitted and
   output the combination as a PRIMARY-LEVEL-2-PACKET



PROCESS NAME:           RECOVER FROM PROCEDURE ERROR
PROCESS NUMBER:         1.7
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If an INVALID-LENGTH-SECONDARY-PACKET or an INVALID-
SECONDARY-PACKET-TYPE or an INVALID-SECONDARY-N(R)-I-FRAME
then reset the link using an SABM-COMMAND
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PROCESS NAME: SEND PACKET
PROCESS NUMBER: 1.8
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Send continuous SYNs while there are no LEVEL-2-PACKETs to
  transmit
When a LEVEL-2-PACKET is available, add a SYN to the front
  of the packet and another SYN to the rear of the packet and
  insert it into the outgoing bit stream

PROCESS NAME: TRANSMIT BIT STREAMS
PROCESS NUMBER: 2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Use the Physical Level Protocol to transmit the PRIMARY-
  OUTGOING-BIT-STREAM to the SECONDARY NODE and the SECONDARY-
  OUTGOING-BIT-STREAM to the PRIMARY NODE

PROCESS NAME: EXTRACT VALID PACKET
PROCESS NUMBER: 3.1
PROCESS DESCRIPTION: SEE PROCESSES 1.1.1 THROUGH 1.1.5

PROCESS NAME: DECODE PRIMARY PACKET ADDRESS AND
                       CONTROL FIELDS
PROCESS NUMBER: 3.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If ADDRESS-FIELD is (10000000) then
  if Bit 1 of CONTROL-FIELD = 0
    then VALID-PRIMARY-PACKET is an PRIMARY-TO-SECONDARY-I-
      FRAME-PACKET
    else if Bit 2 of CONTROL-FIELD = 0 then VALID-PRIMARY-
        PACKET is an S-FRAME-COMMAND
    else VALID-PRIMARY-PACKET is a U-FRAME-COMMAND
Else VALID-PRIMARY-PACKET is an INVALID-PRIMARY-PACKET-TYPE

PROCESS NAME: VALIDATE I-FRAME PACKET
PROCESS NUMBER: 3.3.1
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If N(S) of the PRIMARY-I-FRAME-PACKET = SECONDARY-V(R)
  then the PRIMARY-I-FRAME-PACKET is a VALID-PRIMARY-
    I-FRAME-PACKET
Else it is an OUT-OF-SEQUENCE-PRIMARY-I-FRAME

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PROCESS NAME:          PARSE I-FRAME
PROCESS NUMBER:        3.3.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Output the first octet of the VALID-PRIMARY-I-FRAME as the
  PRIMARY-I-FRAME-CONTROL-FIELD
Output Bit 5 of the first octet of the VALID-PRIMARY-I-
  FRAME as the I-FRAME-POLL-BIT
Output all octets following the first octet as the
  TRANSMITTED-PRIMARY-NODE-LEVEL-3-PACKET



PROCESS NAME:          PARSE I-FRAME CONTROL FIELD
PROCESS NUMBER:        3.3.3
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Output Bits 2,3,4 as N(S)
Output Bits 6,7,8 as N(R)



PROCESS NAME:          PARSE S-FRAME COMMAND
PROCESS NUMBER:        3.4.1
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
S-FRAME-CONTROL-FIELD = First octet of S-FRAME-COMMAND
S-FRAME-POLL-BIT = Bit 5 of S-FRAME-CONTROL-FIELD



PROCESS NAME:          PARSE S-FRAME CONTROL FIELD
PROCESS NUMBER:        3.4.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Case Bits 3,4 of

    00:  RR-COMMAND
    10:  RNR-COMMAND
    01:  REJ-COMMAND
    11:  INVALID-S-FRAME-COMMAND



PROCESS NAME:          SEND READY STATUS AND EXTRACT N(R)
PROCESS NUMBER:        3.4.3
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Output READY-INDICATION
Set PRIMARY-READY-N(R) = Bits 6,7,8 of RR-COMMAND



PROCESS NAME:          SEND BUSY STATUS AND EXTRACT N(R)
PROCESS NUMBER:        3.4.4
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Output PRIMARY-BUSY-INDICATION
Set BUSY-PRIMARY-N(R) = Bits 6,7,8 of RNR-COMMAND
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PROCESS NAME:          SEND REJECT CONDITION AND EXTRACT N(R)
PROCESS NUMBER:        3.4.5
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Output PRIMARY-REJECTION-CONDITION
Set REJECT-PRIMARY-N(R) = Bits 6,7,8 of REJ-COMMAND


PROCESS NAME:          PARSE U-FRAME COMMAND CONTROL FIELD
PROCESS NUMBER:        3.5.1
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
COMMAND-MODIFIER-BITS = Bits 3,4,6,7,8 of the U-FRAME-
                               COMMAND
U-FRAME-POLL-BIT = Bit 5 of the U-FRAME-COMMAND


PROCESS NAME:          DECODE COMMAND MODIFIER BITS
PROCESS NUMBER:        3.5.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Case Bits 3,4,6,7,8 of
   (11100):  Output TRANSMITTED-SABM-COMMAND
   (00010):  Output DISC-COMMAND
Otherwise:  Output INVALID-U-FRAME-COMMAND


PROCESS NAME:          DISCONNECT LINK
PROCESS NUMBER:        3.5.3
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Upon receipt of a DISC-COMMAND
   If not in Disconnected state then
     Set SECONDARY NODE state to Disconnected state
     Output DISC-UA-RESPONSE
   Else output DM-RESPONSE


PROCESS NAME:          SET UP LINK
PROCESS NUMBER:        3.5.4
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Upon receipt of a TRANSMITTED-SABM-COMMAND
   Reset SECONDARY-V(R) and SECONDARY-V(S) to 0
   Set SECONDARY NODE state to Ready
   Output SABM-UA-RESPONSE
```

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PROCESS NAME:          RESET V(S)
PROCESS NUMBER:        3.6.1
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
When a PRIMARY-REJECTION-CONDITION is received
  Update SECONDARY-V(S) to equal the PRIMARY-REJECT-N(R)
  Output a REJ-READY-INDICATION
When a SABM-UA-RESPONSE is received reset SECONDARY-V(S) to 0



PROCESS NAME:          UPDATE LOWER WINDOW EDGE
PROCESS NUMBER:        3.6.2
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Set UPDATED-LOWER-WINDOW-EDGE = N(R)



PROCESS NAME:          SET RESPONSE FINAL BIT
PROCESS NUMBER:        3.6.3
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If POLL-BIT = 1 then set SECONDARY-FINAL-BIT = 1



PROCESS NAME:          PLACE I-FRAME IN X.25 LINK
PROCESS NUMBER:        3.6.4
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
While SECONDARY NODE is in Ready state
  and SECONDARY-V(S) < UPDATED-LOWER-WINDOW-EDGE - 1
  and no REJ-READY-INDICATION is present
        Send SECONDARY-LEVEL-3-PACKET as WINDOWED-I-FRAME
          with N(R) = SECONDARY-V(R)
               N(S) = SECONDARY-V(S)
        Increment SECONDARY-V(S)
If REJ-READY-INDICATION then
        Retransmit SECONDARY-LEVEL-3-PACKETs starting with the
          WINDOWED-I-FRAME with N(S) = SECONDARY-V(S)
        Increment SECONDARY-V(S)



PROCESS NAME:          SELECT PACKET FOR X.25 LINK
PROCESS NUMBER:        3.6.5
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
Select packets from the transmit queue according to the
  following priority
      Priority 1:   CMDR(FRMR)-RESPONSE
      Priority 2:   DISC-UA-REPONSE or DM-RESPONSE
      Priority 3:   RR-RESPONSE or RNR-RESPONSE
      Priority 4:   WINDOWED-I-FRAME
If the queue is empty for MAX-TIME-BETWEEN-UPDATES then send
  an RR-RESPONSE with N(R) = SECONDARY-N(R) to update
  PRIMARY NODE LOWER-WINDOW-EDGE
```

Generate FCS-BLOCK
    Divide the VALID-LENGTH-PACKET by the CRC polynomial which
        is $x^{**}16 + x^{**}12 + x^{**}5 + 1$ modulo 2
    Multiply the VALID-LENGTH-PACKET by $x^{**}16$ and then divide
        it by the CRC polynomial
    Add the remainders of the above two operations on the
        VALID-LENGTH-PACKET modulo 2 and take the 1's complement
    The result is the FCS-BLOCK
Append the FCS-BLOCK to the packet to be transmitted
Set FINAL-BIT if SECONDARY-FINAL-BIT is set
Output a SECONDARY-LEVEL-2-PACKET

PROCESS NAME: RESPOND TO STATUS REQUEST
PROCESS NUMBER: 3.6.6
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If POLL-BIT is set then
    if SECONDARY NODE is in Ready state then output RR-RESPONSE
    else output RNR-RESPONSE

PROCESS NAME: REQUEST RECOVERY FROM PROCEDURE ERROR
PROCESS NUMBER: 3.7
PROCESS DESCRIPTION:
If an INVALID-LENGTH-PRIMARY-PACKET or an INVALID-PRIMARY-
    PACKET-TYPE or an OUT-OF-SEQUENCE-PRIMARY-I-FRAME-PACKET
    is received then output a CMDR(FRMR)-RESPONSE

PROCESS NAME: SEND PACKET
PROCESS NUMBER: 3.8
PROCESS DESCRIPTION: SEE PROCESS 1.8

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Appendix D

Module Structure Charts

This appendix contains the complete set of module
structure charts needed to specify the design of the
software for DELNET. These charts were drawn using Yourdon
and Constantine's structured design techniques (Ref. 22).

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Figure 39. Transfer File Module Structure Chart

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Figure 41. Help User Module Structure Chart

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Calling_Host_
Level_3_Packet

Calling_Node_to_Called_Node_Packet,
Calling_Node_Confirmation_Packet,
Calling_Host_Confirmation_Packet,
Packet_Sequence_Info,
Calling_Host_Supervisory_Packet

Execute
Calling Host
Level 3
Packet

Calling_Node_Restart_
Confirmation_Packet

Received Calling Host_
Restart_Request

Confirm
Restart
Request

Calling_Node_Reset_
Confirmation_Packet

Received Calling
Host_Reset_Request

Confirm
Reset
Request

Calling_Node_
Clear_Confirmation_
Packet

Received
Calling Host_
Clear_Request

Confirm
Clear
Request

Calling_Node_
Interrupt_
Confirmation_
Packet

Received Calling_
Host_Interrupt_
Packet

Confirm
Receipt of
Host
Interrupt

Packet_
Sequence_Info

Received Inbound_
Calling Host_to_
Called_Host_
Data_Packet

Update Node
Windowing
Variables

Incoming Call_
Request_Packet

Received Call_
Request_Packet

Notify
Called Node
of Incoming
Call

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Routed_Called_Node_Packet,
Calling_Host_Supervisory_Packet,
Packet_Sequence_Info

Called_Host_to_Calling_Host_Packet

Execute
Routed
Called Node
Packet

Calling_Node_Windowed_
Called_Host_to_Calling_
Host_Data_Packet,
Calling_Node_
Supervisory_Packet

Received_Called_
Node_Interrupt_
Packet

Received_Called_Host_
to_Calling_Host_Data_
Packet,
Calling_Host_
Supervisory_Packet,
Packet_Sequence_Info

Calling_Node_
Interrupt_Packet

Received_Call_
Accepted_Packet

Call_Connected_
Packet

Interrupt
Node-to-Host
Data Flow

Notify
Calling Host
of Call
Connection

Window
Node-to-Host
Data Packets

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Routed_ Calling_Node_Packet,
Called_Host_Supervisory_Packet,
Packet_Sequence_Info

Calling_Host_to_Called_Host_Packet

Execute
Routed
Calling Node
Packet

Called_Node_Windowed_Calling_Host_to_Called_Host_Data_Packet,
Called_Node_Supervisory_Packet

Received_Calling_Node_
Interrupt_Packet

Called_Node_
Interrupt_Packet

Received_Calling_Host_to_
Called_Host_Data_Packet,
Packet_Sequence_Info,
Called_Host_
Supervisory_Packet

Received_Incoming_
Call_Packet

Relayed_Incoming_
Call_Packet

Interrupt
Node-to-Host
Data Flow

Notify
Called Host
of Incoming
Call

Window
Node-to-Host
Data Packets

Node_Call_Maintenance_Packet ⚲ ↕ Host_Call_Maintenance_Packet,
Queued_Called_Host_to_Calling_Host_Data_Packet

Keep Channel
in Data Transfer
State

Called_Host_to_
Calling_Host_
Data_Packet

Called_Host_to
Calling_Host_
Interrupt_Data

Get Host
Data Packet

Get Host
Interrupt
Data

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Secondary_to_
Primary_I-Frame

Secondary_I-Frame_
Packet_Sequence_Info,
I-Frame_Final_Bit,
Transmitted_
Secondary Node_
Level_3 Packet

Execute
Secondary
I-Frame
Packet

Primary_V(R),
Secondary_
I-Frame_Packet

Valid_Secondary_
I-Frame_Packet

Secondary_I-Frame_
Control_Field,
Transmitted_
Secondary Node_
Level_3 Packet,
I-Frame_Final_Bit

Primary_V(R),
Secondary_I-Frame_
Packet_Sequence_Info

Secondary_I-Frame_
Control_Field

Valid_Secondary_
I-Frame_Packet

Validate
I-Frame
Packet

Parse
I-Frame

Parse
I-Frame
Control
Field

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Secondary V(R),
Primary I-Frame_
Packet_Sequence_Info,
Transmitted Primary_Node_
Level_3_Packet,
I-Frame_Poll_Bit

Primary_to_Secondary_
I-Frame,
Secondary_V(R)

Execute
Primary
I-Frame
Packet

Secondary V(R),
Primary_I-Frame_
Packet_Sequence_Info

Valid Primary_
I-Frame_Packet

Valid_Primary_
I-Frame_Packet

Primary_I-Frame_
Control_Field,
Transmitted_
Primary_Node_
Level_3_Packet,
I-Frame_Poll_Bit

Secondary_V(R),
Primary_
I-Frame_Packet

Primary_I-Frame_
Control_Field

Validate
I-Frame
Packet

Parse
I-Frame

Parse
I-Frame
Control
Field

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S-Frame_Command,
Secondary_V(R)   Primary_Node_Status

Execute
S-Frame
Command

S-Frame_Command   Primary_Node_Status

S-Frame_Command_   S-Frame_Command_
Control_Field,   Control_Field
S-Frame_Poll_Bit

Parse
S-Frame
Command

Execute
Supervisory
Function

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Appendix E

Source Code for the Network Command Language Interpreter

This appendix contains the PASCAL source code for the network command language interpreter. In its present configuration, the program is structured to allow testing of the high-level protocol modules.

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LINE                LEVEL
NUMBERS             PROC STMT STATEMENT

  100      1    1   PROGRAM TESTEXTRNETCMD(INPUT,OUTPUT);
  200      2    1
  300      3    1
  400      4    1        CONST
  500      5    1          MAXCMDLNG=120;
  600      6    1          ENDLN='/';
  700      7    1
  800      8    1        TYPE
  900      9    1          STRGTYPE=PACKED ARRAY [1..30] OF CHAR;
 1000     10    1          CMDTYPE=ARRAY [1..MAXCMDLNG] OF CHAR;
 1100     11    1
 1200     12    1        VAR
 1300     13    1          I,INDEX,NUMTESTCASES: INTEGER;
 1400     14    1          NETRESP: TEXT;
 1500     15    1          SOURCE: CMDTYPE;
 1600     16    1
 1700     17    1
 1800     18    1
 1900     19    1
 2000     20    2   PROCEDURE EXTRNETCMD(TRNETCMD: CMDTYPE;VAR NETRESP: TEXT);
 2100     21    2
 2200     22    2        CONST
 2300     23    2          MAXPARLNG=20;
 2400     24    2          ENDLN='/';
 2500     25    2          FILLER='#';
 2600     26    2          MAXERRMSG=40;
 2700     27    2          NONE='########################################';
 2800     28    2
 2900     29    2
 3000     30    2        TYPE
 3100     31    2          PARTYPE=ARRAY [1..MAXPARLNG] OF CHAR;
 3200     32    2          ERRORTYPE=PACKED ARRAY [1..MAXERRMSG] OF CHAR;
 3300     33    2          SETTYPE=SET OF CHAR;
 3400     34    2
 3500     35    2
 3600     36    2        VAR
 3700     37    2          VALIDCMD: BOOLEAN;
 3800     38    2          I: INTEGER;
 3900     39    2          CMDFIELD: PARTYPE;
 4000     40    2          PARAMS: CMDTYPE;
 4100     41    2          COMMANDSET: SET OF CHAR;
 4200     42    2          ERRORMSG: ERRORTYPE;
 4300     43    2          LISTACTDEV,LISTACTHOST: SETTYPE;
 4400     44    2
 4500     45    2
 4600     46    2
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LINE                    LEVEL
NUMBERS                 PROC STMT STATEMENT.

4700    47        2     PROCEDURE COPY1PARAM(SPARAM: CMDTYPE;VAR DPARAM; PARTYPE;
4800    48        3                          VAR INDEX: INTEGER;VAR VALPARAM: BOOLEAN);
4900    49        3
5000    50        3     LABEL 900;
5100    51        3
5200    52        3     CONST
5300    53        3       SEPARATOR=',';
5400    54        3
5500    55        3     TYPE
5600    56        3       PARIND=1..MAXPARLNG;
5700    57        3
5800    58        3     VAR
5900    59        3       INDEXP1,J: INTEGER;
6000    60        3
6100    61        3
6200    62        3     FUNCTION ENDPARAM(INDEX: INTEGER;SOURCE: CMDTYPE): BOOLEAN;
6300    63        4     BEGIN (*DETERMINE IF END OF PARAMETER*)
6400    64     0  4       IF (SOURCE[INDEX]=SEPARATOR) OR (SOURCE[INDEX]=ENDLN) THEN ENDPARAM:=TRUE
6500    65     1            ELSE ENDPARAM:=FALSE;
6600    66     0        END; (*DETERMINE IF END OF PARAMETER*)
6700    67     0
6800    68     0
6900    69     0        BEGIN (*COPY ONE PARAMETER*)
7000    70     0  1       J:=1;
7100    71     1          IF INDEX<=MAXCMDLNG THEN BEGIN
7200    72     2            VALPARAM:=TRUE; (*POSIT VALID PARAMETER*)
7300    73     3            WHILE NOT ENDPARAM(INDEX,SPARAM) DO BEGIN
7400    74     3              DPARAM[J]:=SPARAM[INDEX];
7500    75     3              INDEXP1:=INDEX+1;
7600    76     4              IF (INDEXP1>MAXCMDLNG) THEN BEGIN
7700    77     4                VALPARAM:=FALSE;
7800    78     4                J:=1;
7900    79     4                GOTO 900; END (*QUIT POSIT*)
8000    80     4              ELSE IF ((J+1)>MAXPARLNG) AND NOT ENDPARAM(INDEXP1,SPARAM) THEN BEGIN
8100    81     4                VALPARAM:=FALSE;
8200    82     4                J:=1;
8300    83     4                GOTO 900; END (*QUIT POSIT*)
8400    84     4              ELSE BEGIN
8500    85     4                INDEX:=INDEX+1;
8600    86     3                J:=J+1; END; (*IF*)
8700    87     2            END; (*WHILE*)
8800    88     1            IF SPARAM[1]=SEPARATOR THEN INDEX:=INDEX+1; END (*THEN*)
8900    89     2          ELSE VALPARAM:=FALSE;
9000    90     1     900: WHILE J<=MAXPARLNG DO BEGIN
9100    91     2            DPARAM[J]:=FILLER;
9200    92     1            J:=J+1; END; (*WHILE*)
9300    93     0        END; (*COPY ONE PARAMETER*)
9400    94     0
```

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LINE         LEVEL
NUMBERS      PROC STMT STATEMENT.

    98                   0        PROCEDURE GETPARAM(ERRORMSG: ERRORTYPE;VAR PARAM: PARTYPE);
    99           3
   100           3                CONST
   101           3                  MAXPARLNG=20;
   102           3
   103           3
   104           3                VAR
   105           3                  I: INTEGER;
   106           3
   107           3                BEGIN (*GET PARAMETER FROM USER*)
   108                   0          FOR I:=1 TO MAXERRMSG DO WRITE(ERRORMSG[I]);
   109                   1          I:=1;
   110                   1          WHILE (I<=MAXPARLNG) AND (NOT EOLN) DO BEGIN
   111                   2            READ(PARAM[I]);
   112                   2            I:=I+1;  END; (*WHILE*)
   113                   1          READLN;
   114                   1          WHILE I<=MAXPARLNG DO BEGIN
   115                   2            PARAM[I]:=FILLER;
   116                   2            I:=I+1;  END; (*WHILE*)
   117                   1          END; (*GET PARAMETER FROM USER*)
   118                   0
   119                   0
```

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LINE                      LEVEL
NUMBERS                   PROC STMT STATEMENT

11800      0                  PROCEDURE HELPUSER(HELPREQ: CMDTYPE;VAR HELPINFO: TEXT);
11900
12000                         VAR
12100    3                       HELPSET: SET OF CHAR;
12110    3                       ERROR: ERRORTYPE;
12120    3                       HELPPARAM: PARTYPE;
12130    3                       VALCOPY: BOOLEAN;
12140    3                       I: INTEGER;
12500    3
12600    3                     BEGIN(*HELP USER*)
12700    0                       HELPSET:=['F','L','S',FILLER];
12702    1                       I:=1;
12703    1                       COPY1PARAM(HELPREQ,HELPPARAM,I,VALCOPY);
12710    1                       IF NOT VALCOPY OR NOT (HELPPARAM[1] IN HELPSET) THEN BEGIN
12720    2                         ERROR:='INVALID HELP REQUEST PARAMETER--PARAM';
12730    2                         REPEAT GETPARAM(ERROR,HELPPARAM) UNTIL HELPPARAM[1] IN HELPSET;
12740    2                       END; (*IF*)
12750    1                       REWRITE(HELPINFO);
12760    1                       CASE HELPPARAM[1] OF
12770    2                       'F': BEGIN (*DESCRIBE FILE TRANSFER COMMAND*)
12780    3                         WRITELN(HELPINFO,'FILE TRANSFER COMMAND FORMAT IS AS FOLLOWS:');
12790    3                         WRITE(HELPINFO,'NETWORK,')TRANSFER FILE;FN=FILENAME,');
12800    3                         WRITE(HELPINFO,'DO=DESTDEV,DH=DESTHOST,SD=SOURCEDEV,');
12810    3                         WRITE(HELPINFO,'SH=SOURCEHOST');
12820    3                         WRITE(HELPINFO,'T) MEANS THAT TRANSFER FILE MAY BE');
12825    3                         WRITELN(HELPINFO,' ABBREVIATED');
12827    3                         WRITELN(HELPINFO,'PARAMETERS MAY BE ENTERED IN ANY ORDER');
12830    3                         WRITELN(HELPINFO,'ALL PARAMETERS ARE LIMITED TO 20 CHAR');
12840    3                         WRITELN(HELPINFO,'SOURCEDEV CANNOT BE THE CONSOLE OR PRINTER'); END;
12845    2                       'L': BEGIN (*LIST ACTIVE HOSTS AND DEVICES*)
12850    3                         WRITE(HELPINFO,'THE HOSTS AND DEVICES THAT ARE ACTIVE');
12860    3                         WRITE(HELPINFO,' ON THE NETWORK ARE AS FOLLOWS:');
12870    3                         WRITELN(HELPINFO,'NETWORK CONFIGURATION TABLE PRINTED OUT'); END;
12880    2                       'S': BEGIN (*DESCRIBE SESSION CONTROL COMMANDS*)
12890    3                         WRITE(HELPINFO,'THE SESSION CONTROL COMMANDS ARE');
12900    3                         WRITELN(HELPINFO,' AS FOLLOWS:');
12910    3                         WRITELN(HELPINFO,'NETWORK,LOGON=LOCALHOSTNAME');
12920    3                         WRITELN(HELPINFO,'NETWORK,LOGOUT');
12925    3                         WRITE(HELPINFO,'THE LOCALHOSTNAME IS THE NAME OF THE');
12930    3                         WRITE(HELPINFO,' HOST TO WHICH ALL LOCAL COMMANDS WILL');
12940    3                         WRITE(HELPINFO,'BE ROUTED AND NEED NOT BE THE NAME OF');
12950    3                         WRITE(HELPINFO,' THE HOST TO WHICH THE USER IS ');
12960    3                         WRITE(HELPINFO,'PHYSICALLY CONNECTED. IF NO LOCALHOSTNAME');
12970    3                         WRITE(HELPINFO,' IS SPECIFIED THEN THE HOST TO ');
12980    3                         WRITE(HELPINFO,'WHICH THE USER IS ');
12990    3                         WRITELN(HELPINFO,'PHYSICALLY CONNECTED IS ASSUMED'); END;
13000    2                       FILLER: BEGIN (*PROVIDE GENERAL INFORMATION*)
13010    3                         WRITE(HELPINFO,'THE GENERAL COMMAND FORMATS ARE AS');
13020    3                         WRITELN(HELPINFO,' FOLLOWS:');
13030    3                         WRITE(HELPINFO,'NETWORK,TRANSFER FILE,FILE TRANSFER PARAMETERS');
13040    3                         WRITELN(HELPINFO,'NETWORK,LOGON=LOCALHOSTNAME');
13050    3                         WRITELN(HELPINFO,'NETWORK,LOGOUT');
13060    3
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                   LINE     LEVEL
                   NUMBERS  PROC STMT STATEMENT.

17400
17500
17600              174      3         WRITELN(HELPINFO,'NETWORK,HELP,HELPPARAM')};
17700              175      3         WRITELN(HELPINFO);
17800              176      3         WRITELN(HELPINFO,'THE HELP REQUEST PARAMETERS ARE AS FOLLOWS:');
20000              177      3         WRITELN(HELPINFO,'F)ILE TRANSFER');
20100              178      3         WRITELN(HELPINFO,'L)IST CONFIGURATION');
20200              179      3         WRITELN(HELPINFO,'S)ESSION COMMANDS');
20500              180      3         WRITE(HELPINFO,'THE PARENTHESES IN THE ABOVE FORMATS');
20600              181      3         WRITELN(HELPINFO,' INDICATE THAT ONLY THE FIRST LETTER ');
20700              182      3         WRITELN(HELPINFO,'IS REQUIRED'); END
20800              183      3
20900              184      1         END; (*CASE*)
21000              185      1
21100              186      1         END; (*HELP USER*)
21200              187      0
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LINE          LEVEL
NUMBERS       PROC STMT STATEMENT.

188                  0        PROCEDURE CONTROLSESSION(CMDFIELD: PARTYPE;SESSPARAM: CMDTYPE;
189                                                    LISTACTHOST: SETTYPE;VAR SESSIONMSG: TEXT);
190
191                           CONST
192                             MAXLOGMSGLNG=40;
193
194                           VAR
195                             I: INTEGER;
196                             LOGMSG: PACKED ARRAY [1..MAXLOGMSGLNG] OF CHAR;
197                             ERROR: ERRORTYPE;
198                             LOCALHOST: FATTYPE;
199                             VALCOPY: BOOLEAN;
200
201                  0        BEGIN (*CONTROL SESSION*)
202                  0          IF (CMDFIELD[5]='N') AND (CMDFIELD[5]<>'U') THEN BEGIN
203                  2            ERROR:='INVALID SESSION CONTROL COMMAND--CMD';
204                  2            REPEAT GETPARAM(ERROR,CMDFIELD)
205                  2            UNTIL (CMDFIELD[5]='N') OR (CMDFIELD[5]='U');
206                  2          END; (*IF*)
207                  1          IF CMDFIELD[5]='N' THEN BEGIN (*LOGON*)
208                  2            I:=1;
209                  2            COPYPARAM(SESSPARAM,LOCALHOST,I,VALCOPY);
210                  2            IF NOT VALCOPY THEN LOCALHOST[1]:='*';
211                  2            IF NOT (LOCALHOST[1] IN LISTACTHOST) AND (LOCALHOST[1]<>FILLER)
212                  3            THEN BEGIN (*STUB FOR ERROR HANDLER*)
213                  3              ERROR:='HOST NOT ACTIVE ON NETWORK--HOST NAME?';
214                  3              REPEAT GETPARAM(ERROR,LOCALHOST)
215                  3              UNTIL (LOCALHOST[1] IN LISTACTHOST) OR (LOCALHOST[1]=FILLER);
216                  2            END; (*IF*)
217                  2            IF LOCALHOST[1]<>FILLER THEN BEGIN
218                  3              (*STUB FOR UPDATING COMMAND ROUTING TABLE*)
219                  3              WRITE('COMMAND ROUTING TABLE UPDATED TO SHOW LOCAL HOST AS ');
220                  3              CASE LOCALHOST[1] OF
221                  3                'I': WRITELN('IRTEL');
222                  4                'N': WRITELN('NOVA');
223                  4                'V': WRITELN('VAX')
224                  4              END; (*CASE*)
225                  3              REWRITE(SESSIONMSG);
226                  3              WRITELN(SESSIONMSG,'USER LOGGED ON NETWORK WITH ');
227                  3              FOR I:=1 TO MAXFAFLNG DO
228                  3                WRITELN(SESSIONMSG,LOCALHOST[I]);
229                  3              IF LOCALHOST[1]<>FILLER THEN WRITE(SESSIONMSG,LOCALHOST[I]);
230                  3              WRITELN(SESSIONMSG,' AS THE LOCAL HOST'); END (*THEN*)
231                  2            ELSE BEGIN
232                  2              REWRITE(SESSIONMSG);
233                  2              WRITELN(SESSIONMSG,'USER LOGGED ON NETWORK WITH USER HOST AS LOCAL HOST'); END; (*IF*)
234                  2            END (*THEN*)
235                  2          ELSE IF CMDFIELD[5]='U' THEN BEGIN (*LOGOUT*)
236                  2            (*STUB FOR RESETTING COMMAND ROUTING TABLE*)
237                  2            WRITELN('COMMAND ROUTING TABLE SET BACK TO USER HOST');
238                  2            REWRITE(SESSIONMSG);
239                  2            (*STUB FOR FILE TRANSFER SUMMARY*)
240                  2            WRITELN(SESSIONMSG,'SUMMARY OF FILE TRANSFERS');
241                  2            WRITELN(SESSIONMSG,'USER LOGGED OUT'); END; (*IF*)
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        LINE      LEVEL
        NUMBERS   PROC STMT STATEMENT.

27400
27500
27600
27700   18500   242     1         (*END IF*)
27800   18600   243     1         END; (*CONTROL SESSION*)
27900   18700   244     0
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        LINE         LEVEL
        NUMBERS      PROC STMT STATEMENT

245   18600      0      PROCEDURE TRANSFERFILE(FILEPARAMS: CMDTYPE;
246   18700                    LISTACTDEV,LISTACTHOST: SETTYPE;VAR FTMSG: TEXT);
247   18800    3
248   18900    3
249   19000    3        CONST
250   19100    3          ERRMSGLNG=40;
251   19200    3          MAXPARLNG=20;
252   19300    3
253   19400    3        TYPE
254   19500    3          PARTYPE=ARRAY [1..MAXPARLNG] OF CHAR;
255   19600    3          FILEPARAMSET=(DD,DH,FN,SD,SH);
256   19700    3
257   19800    3        VAR
258   19900    3          I: INTEGER;
259   20000    3          LEGSOURCEDEV,FPARAMSET: SET OF CHAR;
260   20100    3          FPARAM: FILEPARAMSET;
261   20200    3          DESTDEV,DESTHOST,FILENAME,INVPARAM,SOURCEDEV,SOURCEHOST: PARTYPE;
262   20300    3          VALPARAM,ERRORFLAG: BOOLEAN;
263   20400    3          PARAMSPRES: SET OF FILEPARAMSET;
264   20500    3          ERROR: PACKED ARRAY[1..ERRMSGLNG] OF CHAR;
265   20600    3
266   20700    3
267   20800    4      PROCEDURE SENDGETFILECMD(FILENAME,SOURCEDEV,SOURCEHOST,DESTDEV,
268   20900    4                    DESTHOST: PARTYPE);
269   21000    4
270   21100    0        BEGIN (*SEND GET FILE COMMAND*)
271   21200    0          WRITE('FROM VAX TO ');
272   21300    1          FOR I:=1 TO MAXPARLNG DO WRITE(SOURCEHOST[I]);
273   21400    1          WRITELN;
274   21500    1          WRITE('INFO FIELD=');
275   21600    1          FOR I:=1 TO MAXPARLNG DO  WRITE(FILENAME[I]);
276   21700    1          FOR I:=1 TO MAXPARLNG DO WRITE(SOURCEDEV[I]);
277   21800    1          FOR I:=1 TO MAXPARLNG DO WRITE(SOURCEHOST[I]);
278   21900    1          FOR I:=1 TO MAXPARLNG DO WRITE(DESTDEV[I]);
279   22000    1          FOR I:=1 TO MAXPARLNG DO WRITE(DESTHOST[I]);
280   22100    1          WRITELN;
281   22200    0        END; (*SEND GET FILE COMMAND*)
282   22300    0
283   22400    0        BEGIN (*TRANSFER FILE*)
284   22500    0          PARAMSPRES:=[];
285   22600    1          FPARAMSET:=['D','F','S'];
286   22700    1          LEGSOURCEDEV:=LISTACTDEV-['C','P'];
287   22800    1          I:=1;
288   22900    1          WHILE FILEPARAMS[I]<>ENDLN DO BEGIN
289   23000    2            IF I<>1 THEN I:=I+1;
290   23100    2            IF FILEPARAMS[I] IN FPARAMSET THEN
291   23200    2              CASE FILEPARAMS[I] OF
292   23300    3                'D': IF (FILEPARAMS[I+1]='D') AND (FILEPARAMS[I+2]='=')
293   23400    3                     THEN BEGIN
294   23500    4                       I:=I+3;
295   23600    4                       COPYPARAM(FILEPARAMS,DESTDEV,I,VALPARAM);
296   23700    4                       IF VALPARAM AND (DESTDEV[1] IN LISTACTDEV) THEN
297   23800    4                       ELSE IF (FILEPARAMS[I+1]='H') AND (FILEPARAMS[I+2]='=')
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LINE        LEVEL
NUMBERS     PROC STMT STATEMENT.

24100   299    3          THEN BEGIN
24200   300    4            I:=I+3;
24300   301    4            COPYIPARAM(FILEPARAMS,DESTHOST,I,VALPARAM);
24400   302    4            IF VALPARAM AND (DESTHOST[1] IN LISTACTHOST) THEN
24500   303    4              PARAMSPRES:=PARAMSPRES+[DH]; (*END IF*)
24600   304    4            END (*THEN*)
24700   305    3          ELSE COPYIPARAM(FILEPARAMS,INVPARAM,I,VALPARAM)
24800   306    3            (*END IF*)
24900   307    3    'F':  IF (FILEPARAMS[I+1]='N') AND (FILEPARAMS[I+2]='=')
25000   308    3          THEN BEGIN
25100   309    4            I:=I+3;
25200   310    4            COPYIPARAM(FILEPARAMS,FILENAME,I,VALPARAM);
25300   311    4            IF VALPARAM AND (FILENAME[1]<>FILLER) THEN
25400   312    4              PARAMSPRES:=PARAMSPRES+[FN]; END (*THEN*)
25500   313    3          ELSE COPYIPARAM(FILEPARAMS,INVPARAM,I,VALPARAM);
25600   314    3            (*END IF*)
25700   315    3    'S':  IF (FILEPARAMS[I+1]='D') AND (FILEPARAMS[I+2]='=')
25800   316    3          THEN BEGIN
25900   317    4            I:=I+3;
26000   318    4            COPYIPARAM(FILEPARAMS,SOURCEDEV,I,VALPARAM);
26100   319    4            IF VALPARAM AND (SOURCEDEV[1] IN LISTACTDEV) THEN
26200   320    4              PARAMSPRES:=PARAMSPRES+[SD]; END (*THEN*)
26300   321    3          ELSE IF (FILEPARAMS[I+1]='H') AND (FILEPARAMS[I+2]='=')
26400   322    3          THEN BEGIN
26500   323    4            I:=I+3;
26600   324    4            COPYIPARAM(FILEPARAMS,SOURCEHOST,I,VALPARAM);
26700   325    4            IF VALPARAM AND (SOURCEHOST[1] IN LISTACTHOST) THEN
26800   326    4              PARAMSPRES:=PARAMSPRES+[SH]; END (*THEN*)
26900   327    3          ELSE COPYIPARAM(FILEPARAMS,INVPARAM,I,VALPARAM);
27000   328    3            (*END IF*) END (*CASE*)
27100   329    3          ELSE COPYIPARAM(FILEPARAMS,INVPARAM,I,VALPARAM); (*END IF*)
27200   330    2          END; (*WHILE*)
27300   331    1          ERRORFLAG:=FALSE;
27400   332    1          FOR FPARAM:=DD TO SH DO
27500   333    2            IF NOT (FPARAM IN PARAMSPRES) THEN BEGIN
27600   334    2              ERRORFLAG:=TRUE;
27700   335    2              CASE FPARAM OF
27800   336    3                DD:  BEGIN (*DEST DEVICE*)
27900   337    4                       ERROR:='INVALID OR MISSING DEST DEVICE--NAME?>     ';
28000   338    4                       REPEAT GETFARAM(ERROR,DESTDEV)
28100   339    5                       UNTIL DESTDEV[1] IN LISTACTDEV;
28200   340    3                     END; (*DEST DEVICE*)
28300   341    3                DH:  BEGIN (*DEST HOST*)
28400   342    4                       ERROR:='INVALID OR MISSING DEST HOST--NAME?>     ';
28500   343    4                       REPEAT GETFARAM(ERROR,DESTHOST)
28600   344    5                       UNTIL DESTHOST[1] IN LISTACTHOST;
28700   345    3                     END; (*DEST HOST*)
28800   346    3                FN:  BEGIN (*FILE NAME*)
28900   347    4                       ERROR:='INVALID OR MISSING FILE NAME--NAME?>     ';
29000   348    4                       REPEAT GETFARAM(ERROR,FILENAME)
29100   349    5                       UNTIL FILENAME[1]<>FILLER;
29200   350    4                     END; (*FILE NAME*)
29300   351    3                SD:  BEGIN (*SOURCE DEVICE*)
29400   352    3                       ERROR:='INVALID OR MISSING SOURCE DEVICE--NAME?>';
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              LINE                  LEVEL
              NUMBERS          PROC STMT   STATEMENT.

29500         353                   4         REPEAT GETPARAM(ERROR,SOURCEDEV)
29600         354                   5           UNTIL SOURCEDEV[1] IN LEGSOURCEDEV;
29700         355                   4         END; (*SOURCE DEVICE*)
29800         356                   3      SH: BEGIN (*SOURCE HOST*)
29900         357                   4         ERROR:='INVALID OR MISSING SOURCE HOST--NAME?> ';
30000         358                   4         REPEAT GETPARAM(ERROR,SOURCEHOST)
30100         359                   5           UNTIL SOURCEHOST[1] IN LISTACTHOST;
30200         360                   4         END; (*SOURCE HOST*)
30300         361                   3      END; (*CASE*) END; (*IF*) (*END FOR*)
30400         362                   1      SENDGETFILECMD(FILENAME,SOURCEDEV,SOURCEHOST,DESTDEV,DESTHOST);
30500         363                   1      REWRITE(FTMSG);
30510         364                   1      FOR I:=1 TO MAXPARLNG DO
30515         365                   1         IF FILENAME[I]<>FILLER THEN WRITE(FTMSG,FILENAME[I]);
30520         366                   1      WRITE(FTMSG,' TRANSFERRED FROM ');
30525         367                   1      FOR I:=1 TO MAXPARLNG DO
30530         368                   1         IF SOURCEDEV[I]<>FILLER THEN WRITE(FTMSG,SOURCEDEV[I]);
30535         369                   1      WRITE(FTMSG,' ON ');
30540         370                   1      FOR I:=1 TO MAXPARLNG DO
30545         371                   1         IF SOURCEHOST[I]<>FILLER THEN WRITE(FTMSG,SOURCEHOST[I]);
30550         372                   1      WRITE(FTMSG,' TO ');
30555         373                   1      FOR I:=1 TO MAXPARLNG DO
30560         374                   1         IF DESTDEV[I]<>FILLER THEN WRITE(FTMSG,DESTDEV[I]);
30565         375                   1      WRITE(FTMSG,' ON ');
30570         376                   1      FOR I:=1 TO MAXPARLNG DO
30575         377                   1         IF DESTHOST[I]<>FILLER THEN WRITE(FTMSG,DESTHOST[I]);
30580         378                   1      WRITELN(FTMSG);
30900         379                   1      END; (*TRANSFER FILE*)
31000         380                   0
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LINE      LEVEL
NUMBERS   PROC STMT STATEMENT.

381       3      0    PROCEDURE COPYALLPARAMS(SOURCESTRG: CMDTYPE;VAR PARAMSTRG: CMDTYPE;
382       3                                  INDEX: INTEGER);
383       3
384       3
385       3            VAR
386       3              J: INTEGER;
387       3
388       3            BEGIN (*COPY ALL PARAMETERS*)
389              0       J:=1;
390              1       WHILE (INDEX<MAXCMDLNG) AND (SOURCESTRG[INDEX]<>ENDLN) DO BEGIN
391              2         INDEX:=INDEX+1;
392              2         PARAMSTRG[J]:=SOURCESTRG[INDEX];
393              2         J:=J+1; END; (*WHILE*)
394              1       IF (SOURCESTRG[INDEX]<>ENDLN) OR (J=1) THEN PARAMSTRG[J]:=ENDLN;
395              1       WHILE J<MAXFARLNG DO BEGIN
396              2         J:=J+1;
397              2         PARAMSTRG[J]:=FILLER; END; (*WHILE*)
398              1     END; (*COPY ALL PARAMETERS*)
399              0
400              0
401              0
402              0
403              0
404              0    BEGIN (*EXECUTE TRANSMITTED NETWORK COMMAND*)
405              1       COMMANDSET:=['H','T','L'];
406              1       LISTACTDEV:=['C','F','H','P','T'];
407              1       LISTACTHOST:=['I','N','U'];
408              1       INDEX:=1;
409              1       COPY1PARAM(TRNETCMD,CMDFIELD,INDEX,VALIDCMD);
410              1       COPYALLPARAMS(TRNETCMD,PARAMS,INDEX);
411              1       REPEAT
412              2         ERRORMSG:=NONE;
413              2         IF VALIDCMD THEN
414              2           IF CMDFIELD[1] IN COMMANDSET THEN
415              2             CASE CMDFIELD[1] OF
416              3               'H': HELPUSER(PARAMS,NETRESP);
417              3               'L': CONTROLSESSION(CMDFIELD,PARAMS,LISTACTHOST,NETRESP);
418              3               'T': TRANSFERFILE(PARAMS,LISTACTDEV,LISTACTHOST,NETRESP);
419              3             END (*CASE*)
420              3           ELSE ERRORMSG:='INVALID COMMAND--COMMAND FIELD?'
421              2           (*END IF*) (*END THEN*)
422              2         ELSE ERRORMSG:='COMMAND FIELD TOO LONG--COMMAND FIELD?> ';
423              2         (*END IF*)
424              2         IF ERRORMSG<>NONE THEN GETPARAM(ERRORMSG,CMDFIELD);
425              2         VALIDCMD:=TRUE;
426              2       UNTIL ERRORMSG=NONE;
427              1     END; (*EXECUTE TRANSMITTED NETWORK COMMAND*)
428              0
429              0
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 LINE        LEVEL
NUMBERS    PROC STMT STATEMENT.

430                   0    PROCEDURE READINPUTSTRING;
431          2        0    BEGIN (*READ INPUT TEST STRING*)
432          2        0      INDEX:=0;
433                   1      REPEAT
434                   2        INDEX:=INDEX+1;
435                   2        READ(SOURCE[INDEX]);
436                   2      UNTIL SOURCE[INDEX]=ENDLN;
437                   1      READLN;
438                   1    END; (*READ INPUT TEST STRING*)
439                   0
440                   0
441                        PROCEDURE PRINTTESTRESULTS;
442          2             VAR
443          2               CH: CHAR;
444          2
445          2        0    BEGIN (*PRINT TEST RESULTS*)
446                   0      EXTRNETCMD(SOURCE,NETRESP);
447                   1      RESET(NETRESP);
448                   1      WHILE NOT EOF(NETRESP) DO BEGIN
449                   2        WHILE NOT EOLN(NETRESP) DO BEGIN
450                   3          READ(NETRESP,CH);
451                   3          WRITE(CH); END; (*WHILE*)
452                   2        READLN(NETRESP);
453                   2        WRITELN; END; (*WHILE*)
454                   1      WRITELN; WRITELN; WRITELN;
455                   0    END; (*PRINT TEST RESULTS*)
456                   0
457                   0
458                   0    BEGIN (*TEST EXECUTE TRANSMITTED NETWORK COMMAND*)
459                   0      WRITELN('EXECUTING TEST PROGRAM--TYPE IN # TEST CASES');
460                   1      READLN(NUMTESTCASES);
461                   1      FOR I:=1 TO NUMTESTCASES DO BEGIN
462                   2        WRITELN('TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION');
463                   2        READLN;
464                   2        WRITELN('TYPE IN TEST CASE #',I:0);
465                   2        READINPUTSTRING;
466                   2        PRINTTESTRESULTS; END; (*FOR*)
467                   1    END. (*TEST EXECUTED TRANSMITTED NETWORK COMMAND*)
468                   0
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NOMACHINE_CODE,OBJECT,ERROR_LIMIT = 30

Appendix F

Testing Documention

for the Network Command Language Interpreter

This appendix contains the final set of test cases that was used to test the network command language interpreter. Documentation on the rationale for each test input is included with the test case.

TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
HELP REQUEST FOR FILE TRANSFER
TYPE IN TEST CASE #5
HELP,FILE TRANSFER!
FILE TRANSFER COMMAND FORMAT IS AS FOLLOWS:
NETWORK,T)RANSFER FILE,FN=FILENAME,DD=DESTDEV,DH=DESTHOST,SD=SOURCEDEV,SH=SOURCEHOST
T' MEANS THAT TRANSFER FILE MAY BE ABBREVIATED
PARAMETERS MAY BE ENTERED IN ANY ORDER
ALL PARAMETERS ARE LIMITED TO 20 CHAR
SOURCEDEV CANNOT BE THE CONSOLE OR PRINTER

TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
HELP REQUEST FOR SESSION CONTROL COMMANDS
TYPE IN TEST CASE #6
HELP,SESSION COMMANDS!
THE SESSION CONTROL COMMANDS ARE AS FOLLOWS:
NETWORK,LOGON,LOCALHOSTNAME
NETWORK,LOGOUT

THE LOCALHOSTNAME IS THE NAME OF THE HOST TO WHICH ALL LOCAL COMMANDS WILL
BE ROUTED AND NEED NOT BE THE NAME OF THE HOST TO WHICH THE USER IS
PHYSICALLY CONNECTED. IF NO LOCALHOSTNAME IS SPECIFIED THEN THE HOST TO
WHICH THE USER IS PHYSICALLY CONNECTED IS ASSUMED

TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
HELP F\F\REQUEST FOR NETWORK CONFIGURATION
TYPE IN TEST CASE #7
HELP,LIST CONFIGURATION!
THE HOSTS AND DEVICES THAT ARE ACTIVE ON THE NETWORK ARE AS FOLLOWS:
NETWORK CONFIGURATION TABLE PRINTED OUT

TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
ABBREVIATED GEN HELP REQUEST
TYPE IN TEST CASE #8
H'
THE GENERAL COMMAND FORMATS ARE AS FOLLOWS:
NETWORK,TRANSFER FILE,FILE TRANSFER PARAMETERS
NETWORK,LOGON,LOCALHOSTNAME
NETWORK,LOGOUT
NETWORK,HELP,HELPPARAM

THE HELP REQUEST PARAMETERS ARE AS FOLLOWS:
F)ILE TRANSFER
L)IST CONFIGURATION
S)ESSION COMMANDS
THE PARENTHESES IN THE ABOVE FORMATS INDICATE THAT ONLY THE FIRST LETTER
IS REQUIRED

TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
ABBREV\A\IATED FILE TRANSFER HE,\,\LP REQUEST
TYPE IN TEST CASE #9
H,F!
FILE TRANSFER COMMAND FORMAT IS AS FOLLOWS:
NETWORK,T)RANSFER FILE,FN=FILENAME,DD=DESTDEV,DH=DESTHOST,SD=SOURCEDEV,SH=SOURCEHOST

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EXECUTING TEST PROGRAM--TYPE IN # TEST CASES
??
TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
invalid command
TYPE IN TEST CASE #1
??
INVALID COMMAND--COMMAND FIELD??   logon
INVALID COMMAND--COMMAND FIELD??   logon
INVALID COMMAND--COMMAND FIELD??   llogon
INVALID COMMAND--COMMAND FIELD??   help
INVALID COMMAND--COMMAND FIELD??   1111111
INVALID COMMAND--COMMAND FIELD??   hhhhhhh
INVALID COMMAND--COMMAND FIELD??   tttttttt
INVALID COMMAND--COMMAND FIELD??   LOGON
HOST NOT ACTIVE ON NETWORK--HOST NAME?> VAX
COMMAND ROUTING TABLE UPDATED TO SHOW LOCAL HOST AS VAX
USER LOGGED ON NETWORK WITH VAX AS THE LOCAL HOST

TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
TYPICAL SESSION CONTROL COMMAND
TYPE IN TEST CASE #2
LOGOUT:
COMMAND ROUTING TABLE SET BACK TO USER HOST
SUMMARY OF FILE TRANSFERS
USER LOGGED OUT

TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
TYPICAL FILE TRANSFER COMMAND
TYPE IN TEST CASE #3
TRANSFER FILE, FN=THESIS,DD SP=NWRITER,DH=ZILOG,SD=HARDDISK,SH=VAX!
INVALID OR MISSING DEST DEVICE--NAME?>   INTEL
INVALID OR MISSING DEST DEVICE--NAME?>   PRINTER
INVALID OR MISSING DEST HOST--NAME?>   INTEL
INVALID OR MISSING FILE NAME--NAME?>   THESIS
FROM VAX TO VAX#################################
INFO FIELD=THESIS#############################HARDDISK###############VAX###############################PRINTER#################INTEL################
THESIS TRANSFERRED FROM HARDDISK ON VAX TO PRINTER ON INTEL

TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
GENERAL HELP REQUEST
TYPE IN TEST CASE #4
HELP:
THE GENERAL COMMAND FORMATS ARE AS FOLLOWS:
NETWORK,TRANSFER FILE,FILE TRANSFER PARAMETERS
NETWORK,LOGON,LOCALHOSTNAME
NETWORK,LOGOUT
NETWORK,HELP,HELPPARAM

THE HELP REQUEST PARAMETERS ARE AS FOLLOWS:
FILE TRANSFER
LIST CONFIGURATION
SESSION COMMANDS
THE PARENTHESES IN THE ABOVE FORMATS INDICATE THAT ONLY THE FIRST LETTER
IS REQUIRED

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T) MEANS THAT TRANSFER FILE MAY BE ABBREVIATED
PARAMETERS MAY BE ENTERED IN ANY ORDER
ALL PARAMETERS ARE LIMITED TO 20 CHAR
SOURCEDEV CANNOT BE THE CONSOLE OR PRINTER


TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
ABBREVIATED SESSION COMMANDS HELP REQUEST
TYPE IN TEST CASE #10
H,S!
THE SESSION CONTROL COMMANDS ARE AS FOLLOWS:
NETWORK,LOGON,LOCALHOSTNAME
NETWORK,LOGOUT

THE LOCALHOSTNAME IS THE NAME OF THE HOST TO WHICH ALL LOCAL COMMANDS WILL
BE ROUTED AND NEED NOT BE THE NAME OF THE HOST TO WHICH THE USER IS
PHYSICALLY CONNECTED.  IF NO LOCALHOSTNAME IS SPECIFIED THEN THE HOST TO
WHICH THE USER IS PHYSICALLY CONNECTED IS ASSUMED


TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
ABBREVIATED CONFIGURATION REQUEST
TYPE IN TEST CASE #11
H,L!
THE HOSTS AND DEVICES THAT ARE ACTIVE ON THE NETWORK ARE AS FOLLOWS:
NETWORK CONFIGURATION TABLE PRINTED OUT


TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
NULL PARAMETER IN HELP REQUEST
TYPE IN TEST CASE #12
H,!
THE GENERAL COMMAND FORMATS ARE AS FOLLOWS:
NETWORK,TRANSFER FILE,FILE TRANSFER PARAMETERS
NETWORK,LOGON,LOCALHOSTNAME
NETWORK,LOGOUT
NETWORK,HELP,HELPPARAM

THE HELP REQUEST PARAMETERS ARE AS FOLLOWS:
F)ILE TRANSFER
L)IST CONFIGURATION
S)ESSION COMMANDS
THE PARENTHESES IN THE ABOVE FORMATS INDICATE THAT ONLY THE FIRST LETTER
IS REQUIRED


TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
INVALID PARAMETER IN HELP REQUEST
TYPE IN TEST CASE #13
HELP,NETWORK!
INVALID HELP REQUEST PARAMETER--PARAM?
THE GENERAL COMMAND FORMATS ARE AS FOLLOWS:
NETWORK,TRANSFER FILE,FILE TRANSFER PARAMETERS
NETWORK,LOGON,LOCALHOSTNAME
NETWORK,LOGOUT
NETWORK,HELP,HELPPARAM

THE HELP REQUEST PARAMETERS ARE AS FOLLOWS:
F)ILE TRANSFER
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L)IST CONFIGURATION
S)ESSION COMMANDS
THE PARENTHESES IN THE ABOVE FORMATS INDICATE THAT ONLY THE FIRST LETTER
IS REQUIRED

TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
MULTIPLE PARAMETERS IN HELP REQUEST!
TYPE IN TEST CASE #14
HELP,L,S,F!
THE HOSTS AND DEVICES THAT ARE ACTIVE ON THE NETWORK ARE AS FOLLOWS:
NETWORK CONFIGURATION TABLE PRINTED OUT

TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
SESSION CONTROL TEST OF INVALID LOCAL HOST
TYPE IN TEST CASE #15
LOGON,ZILOG!
HOST NOT ACTIVE ON NETWORK--HOST NAME?>
USER LOGGED ON NETWORK WITH USER HOST AS LOCAL HOST

TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
SESSION CONTROL COMMAND WITH INVALID COMMAND
TYPE IN TEST CASE #16
LOGOFF
!
INVALID SESSION CONTROL COMMAND--CMD?> LOGOUYT
COMMAND ROUTING TABLE SET BACK TO USER HOST
SUMMARY OF FILE TRANSFERS
USER LOGGED OUT

TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
SESSION CONTROL COMMAND WITH NO LOCAL HOST SPECIFIED
TYPE IN TEST CASE #17
LOGON!
USER LOGGED ON NETWORK WITH USER HOST AS LOCAL HOST

TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
SESSION CONTROL COMMAND SHOWING LOGIN ALLOWED
TYPE IN TEST CASE #18
LOGIN,VAX!
COMMAND ROUTING TABLE UPDATED TO SHOW LOCAL HOST AS VAX
USER LOGGED ON NETWORK WITH VAX AS THE LOCAL HOST

TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
LOGOUT COMMAND WITH PARAMETERS
TYPE IN TEST CASE #19
LOGOUT,VAX!
COMMAND ROUTING TABLE SET BACK TO USER HOST
SUMMARY OF FILE TRANSFERS
USER LOGGED OUT

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TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
LOGON COMMAND WITH MULTIPLE LOCAL HOSTS SPECIFIED
TYPE IN TEST CASE #20
LOGON,VAX,INTEL,NOVA!
COMMAND ROUTING TABLE UPDATED TO SHOW LOCAL HOST AS VAX
USER LOGGED ON NETWORK WITH VAX AS THE LOCAL HOST




# RUN EXTRNET
EXECUTING TEST PROGRAM--TYPE IN # TEST CASES
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TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
LOGON COMMAND FOR NOVA
TYPE IN TEST CASE #1
LOGON,NOVA!
COMMAND ROUTING TABLE UPDATED TO SHOW LOCAL HOST AS NOVA
USER LOGGED ON NETWORK WITH NOVA AS THE LOCAL HOST




TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
LOGON COMMAND WITH MULTIPLE NULL PARAMETERS AND ONE VALID ONE
TYPE IN TEST CASE #2
LOGON,,,,,,,,,,,,,VAX!
USER LOGGED ON NETWORK WITH USER HOST AS LOCAL HOST




TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
LOGON USING ABBREVIATIONS
TYPE IN TEST CASE #3
L,N!
INVALID SESSION CONTROL COMMAND--CMD?>  LOGON
COMMAND ROUTING TABLE UPDATED TO SHOW LOCAL HOST AS NOVA
USER LOGGED ON NETWORK WITH N AS THE LOCAL HOST




TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
LOGON TO INTEL USING ABBREVIATION
TYPE IN TEST CASE #4
LOGON,I
'
COMMAND ROUTING TABLE UPDATED TO SHOW LOCAL HOST AS INTEL
USER LOGGED ON NETWORK WITH I  AS THE LOCAL HOST




TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
HELP REQUEST WITH PARAMETER THAT IS TOO LONG
TYPE IN TEST CASE #5
HELP,FFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFF!
INVALID HELP REQUEST PARAMETER--PARAM?> FFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFF
FILE TRANSFER COMMAND FORMAT IS AS FOLLOWS:
(NETWORK,T)RANSFER FILE,FN=FILENAME,DD=DESTDEV,DH=DESTHOST,SD=SOURCEDEV,SH=SOURCEHOST
T) MEANS THAT TRANSFER FILE MAY BE ABBREVIATED
PARAMETERS MAY BE ENTERED IN ANY ORDER
ALL PARAMETERS ARE LIMITED TO 20 CHAR
SOURCEDEV CANNOT BE THE CONSOLE OR PRINTER
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TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
HELP REQUEST EW\WE\WITH PARAMETER THAT IS EXACTLY 20 CHAR
TYPE IN TEST CASE #6
HELP,EEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEE!
FILE TRANSFER COMMAND FORMAT IS AS FOLLOWS:
NETWORK,T)RANSFER FILE,FN=FILENAME,DD=DESTDEV,DH=DESTHOST,SD=SOURCEDEV,SH=SOURCEHOST
T) MEANS THAT TRANSFER FILE MAY BE ABBREVIATED
PARAMETERS MAY BE ENTERED IN ANY ORDER
ALL PARAMETERS ARE LIMITED TO 20 CHAR
SOURCEDEV CANNOT BE THE CONSOLE OR PRINTER

TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
HELP REQUEST WEITH A PARAMETER THAT IS 21 CHARACTERS LONG
TYPE IN TEST CASE #7
H,LLLLLLLLLLLLLLLLLLLLLL!
INVALID HELP REQUEST PARAMETER--PARAM?> LLLLLLLLL
THE HOSTS AND DEVICES THAT ARE ACTIVE ON THE NETWORK ARE AS FOLLOWS:
NETWORK CONFIGURATION TABLE PRINTED OUT

TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
SESSION CONTROL COMMAND WITH A 20 CHAR PARAMETER
TYPE IN TEST CASE #8
LOGON,VVVVVVVVVVVVVVVVVVVV!
COMMAND ROUTING TABLE UPDATED TO SHOW LOCAL HOST AS VAX
USER LOGGED ON NETWORK WITH VVVVVVVVVVVVVVVVVVVV AS THE LOCAL HOST

TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
SESSION CONTROL COMMAND WITH A 21 CHAR PARAMETER
TYPE IN TEST CASE #9
LOGON,IIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIII!
HOST NOT ACTIVE ON NETWORK--HOST NAME?> IIIIIIIII
COMMAND ROUTING TABLE UPDATED TO SHOW LOCAL HOST AS INTEL
USER LOGGED ON NETWORK WITH IIIIIIIII AS THE LOCAL HOST

TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION
NULL COMMAND
TYPE IN TEST CASE #10
!
INVALID COMMAND--COMMAND FIELD?>   LOGOUT
COMMAND ROUTING TABLE SET BACK TO USER HOST
SUMMARY OF FILE TRANSFERS
USER LOGGED OUT

Appendix G

DELNET User's Manual

This appendix contains a user's manual for the network command language interpreter in its present version as documented by Appendix E. The manual consists basically of a description of the step-by-step procedure for using this program.

Since the lower-level protocols have not been implemented, it is necessary to log in to the VAX-11/780 to access the network command language interpreter. This log in procedure entails the following:

> Username: HOBART <CR>
>
> Password: XXX <CR>
>
> WELCOME TO VAX VERSION 1.4
>
> $

At this point, the network command language interpreter can be activated by typing NETWORK <CR> after the dollar sign prompt. The network command language interpreter will respond with

> EXECUTING TEST PROGRAM--TYPE IN # TEST CASES

After an integer has been entered by the user, the network command language interpreter will respond

> TYPE IN TEST DESCRIPTION

This allows the user to document what testing is being accomplished by this test input. A carriage return (<CR>) signals the end of the user input. The network command language interpreter will then respond

TYPE IN TEST CASE #1

Any of the commands described in the following sections may then be entered. The command must be terminated with an exclamation mark and a carriage return. The exclamation mark is used as a special character to represent the end of the network command.

File Transfers

A file transfer command consists of the following string:

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TRANSFER FILE,FN=FILENAME,SD=SOURCE_DEVICE_NAME,
   SH=SOURCE_HOST_NAME,DD=DESTINATION_DEVICE_NAME,
   DH=DESTINATION_HOST_NAME!
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The parameters may be entered in any order but may not be longer than 20 characters each. The maximum parameter length may be changed by changing the value of MAXPARLNG in the source code and recompiling and relinking the program.

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Session Control

The network command language interpreter will accept the following session control commands:

    LOGIN,HOST_NAME!

    LOGOUT!

User Help Information

The user can request information by typing any of the following commands:

    HELP!

    HELP,FILE TRANSFER!

    HELP,SESSION COMMANDS!

    HELP,LIST CONFIGURATION!

The output from these help requests is shown on the following pages. Finally, Table 10 in the main body is included here also to show the valid keywords. The underlined letters are the allowable abbreviations.

... GOOD ID IS MANDATORY IN ? BUT CASES

...

... GENERAL COMMAND FORMATS ARE AS FOLLOWS.
... TRANSFER FILE;ILE TRANSFER PARAMETERS
... CONFIGURATION+CONFIGURE NAME
... WORK PERIODS
... WORK+PERIOD+FILE+PARAM

THE HOST ELEMENT PARAMETERS ARE AS FOLLOWS:
... ILE TRANSFERS
... CONFIGURATION
... UR COMMANDS
... THE VALUES IN THE ABOVE FORMATS INDICATE THAT ONLY THE FIRST LETTER
IS REQUIRED.

TYPE IV TEST DESCRIPTION
... TRANSFER IS OPERATION
... TEST CASE #1

... TRANSFER COMMAND FORMAT IS AS FOLLOWS:
...TRANSFER FILE+FN-FILENAME+DD-DESTDEV+DH-DESTHOST+SD-SOURCEDEV+SH-SOURCEHOST
... MEANS THAT TRANSFER FILE MAY BE ABBREVIATED
PARAMETERS MAY BE ENTERED IN ANY ORDER
ALL PARAMETERS ARE LIMITED ...
SOURCE DEV CANNOT BE THE CONSOLE OR PRINTER

TYPE V TEST DESCRIPTION
...
...
... DEVICES THAT ARE ACTIVE ON THE NETWORK ARE AS FOLLOWS:
... CONFIGURATION TABLE PRINTED OUT

... TEST DESCRIPTION
...
... TEST CASE #...

THE SESSION CONTROL COMMANDS ARE AS FOLLOWS:
WE WHERE E DEVICE OR ALHOSTNAME
... ABORT+E HOST

...

BE ROUTED AND NEED NOT BE THE NAME OF THE HOST TO WHICH THE USER IS
PHYSICALLY CONNECTED. IF NO LOCALHOSTNAME IS SPECIFIED THEN THE HOST TO
WHICH THE USER IS PHYSICALLY CONNECTED IS ASSUMED.

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Table 10

Valid Keywords

<u>Network</u> <u>Command</u> <u>Parameter</u>

LOGIN
LOGOUT
TRANSFER FILE
HELP

<u>File</u> <u>Transfer</u> <u>Parameters</u>

    Source Host (<u>SH=</u>), Destination Host (<u>DH=</u>),

    INTEL
    NOVA
    VAX

    Source Device (<u>SD=</u>)

    FLOPPYDISK
    HARDDISK
    TAPE

    Destination Device (<u>DD=</u>)

    CONSOLE
    FLOPPYDISK
    HARDDISK
    PRINTER
    TAPE

<u>Local</u> <u>Host</u> <u>Parameter</u>

Null   (Defaults to user host)
INTEL
NOVA
VAX

<u>Help</u> <u>Parameter</u>

FILE TRANSFER
LIST CONFIGURATION
SESSION COMMANDS

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A local computer for the Air Force Institute of Technology Digital Engineering Laboratory was designed and the network command language interpreter modules were implemented. The requirements for this network were specified by interviewing nine faculty members associated with the Digital Engineering Laboratory and then translating their functional requirements into a detailed set of hardware and software system requirements. Structured Analysis was used to produce a structured specification for the applications, host-to-host, network, and link protocol requirements. Yourdon and Constantine's Transform Analysis and Transaction Analysis techniques were then used to develop a set of module structure charts for the software design. The network uses a loop topology for the nodes with a star of up to four hosts connected to each node. The nodes are implemented using a Universal Network Interface Device (UNID) developed at the Air Force Institute of Technology. Initially, the network will include an Intel Series II Microcomputer Development Station, a Digital Equipment Corporation VAX-11/780, and a Data General Nova. These computers will be connected to the nodes using twisted pair and the two UNIDs in the initial configuration will be interconnected with a duplex fiber optic link supporting transmission rates up to 56 Kbs. The X.25 protocol was selected to implement a host-to-host transfer mechanism in conjunction with a basic routing algorithm using a lookup table stored in each UNID. The network command language interpreter allows file transfer commands, session control commands, and user help requests to be parsed and the appropriate parameters passed to lower-level modules.

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